

## M A T E R I A L   S A F E T Y   D A T A   S H E E T

Dow Chemical U.S.A. Midland, MI 48674 Emergency Phone: 517-636-4400

Product Code: 16896

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PRODUCT NAME: CHLOROTHENE (R) SM SOLVENT

Effective Date: 10/04/85 Date Printed: 05/17/86

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## 1. INGREDIENTS:

|                       |                  |       |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------|
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | CAS# 000071-55-6 | 95.5% |
| 1,2-Butylene oxide    | CAS# 000106-88-7 |       |
| Diethylene Ether      | CAS# 000123-91-1 |       |
| Nitromethane          | CAS# 000075-52-5 |       |

The hazard information presented is based on tests conducted on this or similar mixtures. Therefore, pursuant to the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (see 29 CFR Part 1910.1200 (g) (2) (B)), the information is based on the tested mixture and not individual ingredients.

## 2. PHYSICAL DATA:

BOILING POINT: 165F (74C)  
VAP PRESS: 100 mmHg @ 20C  
VAP DENSITY: 4.55  
SOL. IN WATER: 0.07 g/100g @ 25C  
SP. GRAVITY: 1.321 @ 25/25C  
APPEARANCE: Colorless liquid.  
ODOR: Irritating odor at high concentrations.

## 3. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA:

FLASH POINT: None  
METHOD USED: TOC, TCC, COC

FLAMMABLE LIMITS  
LFL: 7.5% @ 25C  
UFL: 15% @ 25C

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water fog.

FIRE &amp; EXPLOSION HAZARDS: Not available.

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## 3. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA: (CONTINUED)

**FIRE-FIGHTING EQUIPMENT:** Self-contained, positive pressure respiratory equipment.

## 4. REACTIVITY DATA:

**STABILITY: (CONDITIONS TO AVOID)** Avoid open flames, welding arcs or other high temperature sources which induce thermal decomposition.

**INCOMPATIBILITY: (SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO AVOID)** Water - long term contact can deplete stabilizers followed by slow hydrolysis producing corrosive acid. Avoid prolonged contact with, or storage in, aluminum or its alloys. Metallic aluminum and zinc powders should be avoided.

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** Hydrogen chloride and very small amounts of phosgene and chlorine.

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** Will not occur.

## 5. ENVIRONMENTAL AND DISPOSAL INFORMATION:

**ACTION TO TAKE FOR SPILLS/LEAKS:** Small leaks: Mop up, wipe up, or soak up immediately. Remove to out-of-doors.  
Large spills: Evacuate area. Contain liquid; transfer to closed metal containers. Keep out of water supplies.

**DISPOSAL METHOD:** When disposing of the unused contents, the preferred options are to send to licensed reclaimer, permitted incinerators, or to evaporate small quantities in compliance with local, state, and federal regulations including Subtitle C of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. Dumping into sewers, on the ground, or into any body of water is strongly discouraged, and may be illegal. Consult The Dow Chemical Company for further information.

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## 6. HEALTH HAZARD DATA:

EYE: May cause pain. May cause slight transient (temporary) irritation with slight transient corneal injury. Vapors may irritate eyes.

SKIN CONTACT: Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause skin irritation. Repeated contact may cause drying or flaking of skin.

SKIN ABSORPTION: A single prolonged skin exposure is not likely to result in absorption of harmful amounts. The LD50 for rabbits is about 15,000 mg/kg.

INGESTION: Single dose oral toxicity is low. The LD50 for rats is >10,000 mg/kg. If aspirated (liquid enters the lung), may be rapidly absorbed through the lungs and result in injury to other body systems.

INHALATION: Minimal anesthetic or narcotic effects may be seen in the range of 500-1000 ppm trichloroethane. Progressively higher levels over 1000 ppm may cause dizziness, drunkenness; concentrations as low as 10,000 ppm can cause unconsciousness and death. In confined or poorly ventilated areas, vapors which readily accumulate can cause unconsciousness and death. These high levels may also cause cardiac arrhythmias (irregular heartbeats).

SYSTEMIC & OTHER EFFECTS: Based on available data, repeated exposures are not anticipated to cause any significant adverse effects. Similar formulations did not cause cancer in long-term animal studies. Birth defects are unlikely. Exposures having no adverse effects on the mother should have no effect on the fetus. In animal studies, has been shown not to interfere with reproduction. Results of in vitro ("test tube") mutagenicity tests have been inconclusive. Results of mutagenicity tests in animals have been negative.

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## 7. FIRST AID:

**EYES:** Irrigate immediately with water for at least 5 minutes.

**SKIN:** Wash off in flowing water or shower. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

**INGESTION:** Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician and/or transport to emergency facility immediately.

**INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician.

**NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:** Because rapid absorption may occur through lungs if aspirated and cause systemic effects, the decision of whether to induce vomiting or not should be made by an attending physician. If lavage is performed, suggest endotracheal and/or esophageal control. Danger from lung aspiration must be weighed against toxicity when considering emptying the stomach. Exposure may increase "myocardial irritability." Do not administer sympathomimetic drugs unless absolutely necessary. No specific antidote. Supportive care. Treatment based on judgment of the physician in response to reactions of the patient.

## 8. HANDLING PRECAUTIONS:

**EXPOSURE GUIDELINE(S):** 1,1,1-Trichloroethane - OSHA standard is 350 ppm and current ACGIH TLV is 350 ppm (450 ppm STEL).

ACGIH TLV is 25 ppm skin for diethylene ether; the STEL is 100 ppm. OSHA PEL is 100 ppm skin for diethylene ether. Dow Industrial Hygiene Guide for 1,2-butylene oxide is 40 ppm (excursion 100 ppm). ACGIH TLV for nitromethane is 100 ppm with a STEL of 150 ppm.

**VENTILATION:** Control airborne concentrations below the exposure guideline. Use only with adequate ventilation. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary for some operations. Lethal concentrations may exist in areas with poor ventilation.

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## 8. HANDLING PRECAUTIONS: (CONTINUED)

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Atmospheric levels should be maintained below the exposure guideline. When respiratory protection is required for certain operations, use an approved air-purifying respirator. For emergency and other conditions where the exposure guideline may be greatly exceeded, use an approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus. In confined or poorly ventilated areas, use an approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus.

SKIN PROTECTION: For brief contact, no precautions other than clean body-covering clothing should be needed. When prolonged or frequently repeated contact could occur, use protective clothing impervious to this material. Selection of specific items such as gloves, boots, apron, or full body suit will depend on operation.

EYE PROTECTION: Use safety glasses. Where contact with liquid is likely, chemical goggles are recommended because eye contact with this material may cause pain, even though it is unlikely to cause injury.

## 9. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE: Handle with reasonable care. Avoid breathing vapors. Store in a cool dry place. Concentrated vapors of this product are heavier than air and will collect in low areas such as pits, degreasers, storage tanks, and other confined areas. Do not enter areas where vapors of this product are suspected unless special breathing apparatus is used and an observer is present for assistance.

1,1,1-Trichloroethane products should not be packaged in aluminum aerosol cans or with finely divided aluminum or its alloys in an aerosol can.

Aluminum is not an acceptable material of construction for pumps, mixers, fittings, storage tanks for 1,1,1-trichloroethane

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## 9.   ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:   (CONTINUED)

products or formulations. Metallic aluminum and zinc powders should be avoided. For additional information on toxicity, handling precautions, and first aid, refer to chlorinated solvents literature form no. 100-5792.

MSDS STATUS:   Revised sections 1, 5, 6, 8, and 9.

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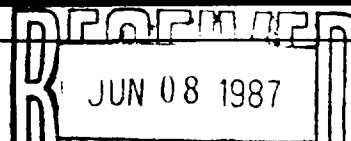
# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

## Airco Carbon

Division of The BOC Group, Inc.  
800 Theresia Street, St. Marys, PA 15857  
814-834-2801

Emergency Number: (814) 834-2801

PRODUCT:  
**Carbon/Graphite Grades**



November, 1985

### I IDENTIFICATION

CHEMICAL FAMILY: Carbon  
D.O.T. HAZARD CLASSIFICATION: Inert

### II INGREDIENTS (INERT & HAZARDOUS)

| INGREDIENTS/COMPOSITION | C.A.S. #  | PERCENT | PEL                  | TLV                 |
|-------------------------|-----------|---------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Carbon                  | 7440-44-0 | >99     | 15 mg/M <sup>3</sup> | 10mg/M <sup>3</sup> |
| and/or                  | or        |         |                      |                     |
| Synthetic Graphite      | 7782-42-5 |         |                      |                     |

### III PHYSICAL DATA

|                                |  |
|--------------------------------|--|
| BOILING POINT: None            | VOLATILE BY WEIGHT: <0.01%               |
| MELTING POINT: None            | SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.9-2.2                |
| EVAPORATION RATE: 0            | VAPOR PRESSURE: Negligible at room temp. |
| SOLUBILITY IN WATER: Insoluble | VAPOR DENSITY: Negligible at room temp.  |
| APPEARANCE: Grey-black solid   | ODOR: None                               |

### IV FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

FLASH POINT: None  
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water, CO<sub>2</sub>, sand  
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA TO **AVOID**: None  
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: In normal combustion, CO<sub>2</sub> and CO.  
SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES: Self-contained breathing apparatus, as normal.  
UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA: Graphite and carbon dusts are normally not explosive, but these may weakly contribute if the event is initiated by another explosive dust or gas. Graphite and carbon dusts are electrically conductive; dust accumulations may cause electrical short circuits or other electrical malfunctions.

LOWER/UPPER EXPLOSIVE LIMIT: None

### V HEALTH HAZARD DATA

PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMIT (PEL): SEE SECTION II

**PRIMARY ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY:** Inhalation of dust.

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE:**

EYES: At high dust level, mechanical irritation.

BREATHING: Prolonged and repeated over-exposure may lead to benign pneumoconiosis.

SWALLOWING or SKIN: No effect.

**FIRST AID:**

IF IN EYES: Flush with water if irritation occurs.

IF ON SKIN, BREATHED OR SWALLOWED: None necessary.

**MEDICAL CONDITIONS RECOGNIZED AS POSSIBLY AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE:**

Individuals with pre-existing chronic respiratory impairments or with serum antitrypsin deficiency may be at increased risk of pneumoconiosis.

NOT CONSIDERED A CARCINOGEN

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WE Buy No (Funds)

Material from

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Ernie  
Please  
tell me what  
you call this bag?  
E. Moore

SAFETY DEPARTMENT

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

ON MSDS

6-8-87

TO

D. DURHAM

DATE

6-5-87

PLEASE FILL IN ALL THE INFORMATION YOU CAN TO AID IN PLACING THE MSDS  
ATTACHED INTO OUR RECORDS:

WHO ORDERED THIS MATERIAL?

E. Moore

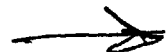
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WHERE IS THE MATERIAL USED?

Ice

WHAT IS IT USED FOR?



PLEASE RETURN TO THE SAFETY DEPARTMENT A.S.A.P.



April 24, 1987

SUBJ: MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Dear Sir:

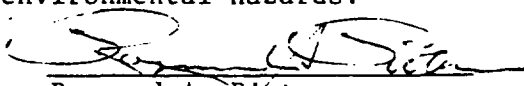
In accordance with OSHA Legislation 1910.1200 "HAZARD COMMUNICATION" we submit our current Material Safety Data Sheet(s) for the following product(s):

|       |       |        |       |
|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| 1714V | 1814F | 414G   | 1914H |
| 733K  | 114P  | 114P-3 | 414S  |
| 853X  |       |        |       |

Please let us know if we can be of additional assistance.

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PREPARED BY:

  
Raymond A. Pietras

TITLE:

Ceramic Engineer

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**Material Safety Data Sheet**

May be used to comply with  
OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard,  
29 CFR 1910.1200. Standard must be  
consulted for specific requirements.

**U.S. Department of Labor**

Occupational Safety and Health Administration  
(Non-Mandatory Form)  
Form Approved  
OMB No. 1218-0072



IDENTITY (As Used on Label and List)  
PREFORMED CERAMIC CORES

Note: Blank spaces are not permitted. If any item is not applicable or no  
information is available, the space must be marked to indicate that.

**Section I**

Manufacturer's Name  
CERTECH, INC.

Emergency Telephone Number  
201-939-7400

Address (Number, Street, City, State, and ZIP Code)  
1 PARK PLACE WEST

Telephone Number for Information  
201-939-7400

WOOD-RIDGE, NEW JERSEY 07075

Date Prepared  
APRIL 24, 1987  
Signature of Preparer (optional)

**Section II — Hazardous Ingredients/Identity Information****WHEN IN THE FORM OF DUST**

| Hazardous Components (Specific Chemical Identity: Common Name(s)) | OSHA PEL             | ACGIH TLV              | Other Limits Recommended | 0: (optional) |
|---|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| SILICA CRISTOBALITE<br>CAS # [14464-46-1]                         | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  | 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | N/A                      |               |
| SILICA, FUSED<br>CAS # [60676-86-0]                               | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  | N/A                      |               |
| ZIRCONIUM SILICATE<br>CAS # [7440-67-2]                           | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   | N/A                      |               |
| ALUMINUM OXIDE<br>CAS # [1344-28-1]                               | NOT AVAILABLE        | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   | N/A                      |               |

**Section III — Physical/Chemical Characteristics**

|                         |   |   |             |
|-------------------------|---|---|-------------|
| Boiling Point           | N/A   | Specific Gravity (H <sub>2</sub> O = 1) | 2.20 - 3.25 |
| Vapor Pressure (mm Hg.) | N/A   | Melting Point                           | N/A         |
| Vapor Density (AIR = 1) | N/A   | Evaporation Rate<br>(Butyl Acetate = 1) | N/A         |
| Solubility in Water     | NIL   |   |             |
| Appearance and Odor     | WHITE TO BEIGE IN COLOR, NO ODOR, SOLID, MOLDED SHAPE |   |             |

**Section IV — Fire and Explosion Hazard Data**

|                                    |                 |                  |     |     |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----|-----|
| Flash Point (Method Used)          | NONE            | Flammable Limits | LEL | UEL |
|                                    |                 | N/A              | N/A | N/A |
| Extinguishing Media                | NOT COMBUSTIBLE |                  |     |     |
| Special Fire Fighting Procedures   | NONE            |                  |     |     |
| Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards | NONE KNOWN      |                  |     |     |



**Section V — Reactivity Data**

|           |          |   |   |
|-----------|----------|---|---|
| Stability | Unstable |   | Conditions to Avoid   |
|           | Stable   | X | Material is stable, and non reactive under ordinary conditions. |

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid) Attacked by strong alkalis, reacts with hydrofluoric acid to generate volatile  $\text{SiF}_4$

Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts When exposed to high temperatures, silica can change crystal structure to form tridymite (above  $870^\circ\text{C}$ ) or cristobalite (above  $1470^\circ\text{C}$ ) which have greater

Hazardous Polymerization May Occur Conditions to Avoid health hazards than fused silica.

|                          |                |   |     |
|--------------------------|----------------|---|-----|
| Hazardous Polymerization | Will Not Occur | X | N/A |
|--------------------------|----------------|---|-----|

**Section VI — Health Hazard Data**

|                    |             |       |            |
|--------------------|-------------|-------|------------|
| Route(s) of Entry: | Inhalation? | Skin? | Ingestion? |
|                    | YES         | NO    | POSSIBLE   |

Health Hazards (Acute and Chronic) These materials as received by the customer are sintered solids. Dust will occur only if the product is crushed, abraded or cut. Any inhalation of dust is harmful to your health and excessive inhalation will increase the risk of serious lung and respiratory disease. Acute - causes irritation of eyes, nose, throat and skin by dust. Chronic - None known to eyes or skin; Respiratory - may cause lung damage from dust.

|                  |         |                  |                 |
|------------------|---------|------------------|-----------------|
| Carcinogenicity: | NTP?    | IARC Monographs? | OSHA Regulated? |
| Unknown          | Unknown | Unknown          | Unknown         |

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure Exposure to dust: Cough, shortness of breath, tightness in chest, eye irritation, dry, itchy skin.

Medical Conditions Any pre-existing respiratory or pulmonary diseases or conditions. Generally Aggravated by Exposure

Emergency and First Aid Procedures: Eyes - Flush eyes thoroughly with running water for 15 min. Call physician if irritation persists. Skin - Wash affected area with soap and water. Call physician if condition persists.

Inhalation - Remove to fresh air. Seek medical attention for treatment, support & observation as needed. Ingestion - Call physician, induce vomiting only upon advice of physician.

**Section VII — Precautions for Safe Handling and Use**

Steps to Be Taken in Case Material Is Released or Spilled

For Dust - Provide ventilation. Protect against eye contact and inhalation of dust. Pick up dust without raising dust clouds. (Use vacuum or damp sweep) Place in closed plastic bags for disposal.

Waste Disposal Method

To land fill in accordance with local, State and Federal regulations.

Precautions to Be Taken in Handling and Storing

Normal precautions for nuisance dust should be observed. Take care to minimize the generation of airborne dust.

Other Precautions

Avoid prolonged contact with skin. There is an increased risk of impaired health due to a combination of smoking and silica dust exposure.

**Section VIII — Control Measures**

Respiratory Protection (Specify Type)

For prolonged dust exposure select respirator per OSHA 29 CFR 1910-134

|             |  |              |
|-------------|--|--------------|
| Ventilation | Local Exhaust Ventilation to meet TLV requirements | Special NONE |
|             | Mechanical (General) N/A                           | Other NONE   |

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Protective Gloves Recommended for prolonged contact. | Eye Protection Select goggles per OSHA 29 CFR 1910-133 |
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Other Protective Clothing or Equipment NOT REQUIRED

Work/Hygienic Practices

Good housekeeping & handling procedures should minimize the generation of airborne dust.

Normal work practices for a nuisance dust. Page 2



# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

## I. MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION

Name: Conoco Fleet Motor Oil SAE 10W, 10W LP,  
15W-40, 20-20W, 30, 40, 50/  
Fleet Supreme 10W-30, 15W-40  
Conoco Product Code: 6210/6211/6220/6230/6240/6250/  
6260/6261/6271

Synonyms: Lubricating Oil, Motor Oil  
Chemical Family: Petroleum Hydrocarbon  
Manufacturer: Conoco Inc.

Address: P.O. Box 1267, Ponca City, OK 74603

CAS Registry No.: Mixture  
Transportation Emergency No.:  
(800) 424-9300 (Chemtrec)  
Product Information No.:  
(405) 767-6000

## II. HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

## HAZARD DATA

Hazard Determination:

Health Effect Properties: None.

Not applicable.

Physical Effect Properties:

Product/Mixture: None.

Not applicable.

## III. PHYSICAL DATA

|                       |   |                                       |      |
|-----------------------|---|---------------------------------------|------|
| Appearance and Odor:  | Dark brown liquid; mild petroleum hydrocarbon odor. |                                       |      |
| Boiling Range (° F)   | 650-1200  | Specific Gravity (H <sub>2</sub> O=1) | 0.88 |
| Vapor Pressure (mmHg) | Nil   | % Volatile (by volume)                | Nil  |
| Vapor Density (Air=1) | Not Applicable                                      | Evaporation Rate (Ether=1)            | Nil  |
| Solubility in Water   | Insoluble   |                                       |      |

## IV. REACTIVITY DATA

Stable: X      Unstable:

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Normal combustion forms carbon dioxide;  
incomplete combustion may produce carbon monoxide.

Conditions To Avoid: Strong oxidizing materials, heat, flame.

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

## V. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

Flash Point (Method used): 340° F (PMCC)      Autoignition Temperature: 650° F  
Handle and store in accordance with NFPA procedure for Class III B Combustible Liquids.

Extinguishing Media: Use water spray, dry chemical, foam, or carbon dioxide.

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: Water or foam may cause frothing. Use water to  
keep fire-exposed containers cool. Water spray may be used to flush spills  
away from exposures.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Products of combustion may contain carbon monoxide,  
carbon dioxide, and other toxic materials. Do not enter enclosed or confined  
space without proper protective equipment including respiratory protection.

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**V. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA (continued)**

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| National Fire Protection Agency (NFPA) CLASSIFICATION |               |                     | HAZARD RATING |            |              |
|---|---------------|---------------------|---------------|------------|--------------|
| Health <u>0</u>                                       | Fire <u>1</u> | Reactivity <u>0</u> | Least - 0     | Slight - 1 | Moderate - 2 |
|   |               |                     |               | High - 3   | Extreme - 4  |

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**VI. TRANSPORTATION AND STORAGE**

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**DOT HAZARD CLASS: Not Applicable**

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Precautions To Be Taken In Handling And Storing: Product is Class III B Combustible Liquid per NFPA Code No. 30-1984. Store and handle accordingly.

Shipping Paper Description: Not D.O.T. Regulated.

Placard: Not D.O.T. Regulated.

D.O.T. Label: Not Regulated.

OSHA Label (Recommended): CAUTION: Prolonged or repeated skin contact with used motor oil may be harmful. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after use.

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**VII. HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION**

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PEL Not Established      TLV Not Established  
Ceiling Value Not Established      AEL Not Established

Primary Route of Entry: Skin.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure/Medical Conditions Aggravated By Exposure:  
No adverse health effect has been identified specifically for this product. Health effect information from animal and human studies has been included on related materials, even though health experts may disagree as to the significance of this data.

Mouse skin painting studies have shown that highly solvent-refined petroleum distillates having a boiling point below 700° F, and which are similar to ingredients in this product, have not caused skin tumors. The product may cause irritation to eyes, lungs, or skin after prolonged or repeated exposure.

Laboratory studies have shown that mice developed skin cancer following repeated skin application of, and continuous exposure to, used motor oil. In these studies, the used motor oil was not removed between applications. Health hazards to used motor oil can be minimized by avoiding prolonged skin contact.

Listed as Carcinogen or Potential Carcinogen by: NTP No      IARC No      OSHA No

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#### **VIII. EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES**

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Eyes: Immediately wash with fresh water for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention.

Skin: Remove contaminated clothing as soon as possible. Wash exposed skin thoroughly with soap and water. If irritation persists, consult a physician.

Launder contaminated clothing before reuse. Extremely contaminated leather shoes should be discarded.

If exposed to hot oil, immediately cool with cold water. Do not attempt to remove oil but continue to cool exposed areas with cold packs and seek medical attention.

Inhalation: If overexposure occurs, remove individual to fresh air. If breathing stops, administer artificial respiration.

Ingestion: If this material is swallowed, do not induce vomiting. If vomiting begins, lower victim's head in an effort to prevent vomitus from entering lungs. Immediately consult a physician. Do not attempt to give liquid to an unconscious person.

Note to Physicians: Gastric lavage by qualified medical personnel may be considered, depending on quantity of material ingested.

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#### **IX. SPILL, LEAK AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES**

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RCRA HAZARDOUS WASTE: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  X

In Case Of Spill Or Leak: Contain spill immediately in smallest area possible. Recover as much of the product itself as possible by such methods as vacuuming, followed by soaking up residual fluids by use of absorbent materials. Remove contaminated items including solids and place in proper container for disposal. Avoid washing, draining or directing material to storm or sanitary sewers.

Waste Disposal Method: Recycle as much of the recoverable product as possible. Dispose of nonrecyclable material by such methods as controlled incineration, complying with federal, state and local regulations.

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#### **X. PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES**

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Respiratory Protection: None required except under unusual circumstances such as described in Section V.

Ventilation: Normal shop ventilation.

Protective Gloves: None required.

Eye Protection: None required.

Other Protective Equipment: None required.

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Polyamine Polyamide

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## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Required under USDL Safety and Health Regulations for Ship Repairing,  
Shipbuilding, and Shipbreaking (29 CFR 1915, 1916, 1917)

## SECTION I

|  |  |
|--|--|
| MANUFACTURER'S NAME<br>POLY-CARB, INC  | EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NO.<br>216/248-1223    |
| ADDRESS (Number, Street, City, State, and ZIP Code)<br>33095 Bainbridge Rd., Solon, OH 44139 |  |
| CHEMICAL NAME AND SYNONYMS   | TRADE NAME AND SYNONYMS<br>MARK-103 PART B |
| CHEMICAL FAMILY<br>Polyamine Polyamide Solution  | FORMULA                                    |

## SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

| PAINTS, PRESERVATIVES, & SOLVENTS                     | % | TLV<br>(Units) | ALLOYS AND METALLIC COATINGS              | % | TLV<br>(Units) |
|---|---|----------------|---|---|----------------|
| PIGMENTS  |   |                | BASE METAL                                |   |                |
| CATALYST  |   |                | ALLOYS                                    |   |                |
| VEHICLE   |   |                | METALLIC COATINGS                         |   |                |
| SOLVENTS  |   |                | FILLER METAL<br>PLUS COATING OR CORE FLUX |   |                |
| ADDITIVES   |   |                | OTHERS                                    |   |                |
| OTHERS  |   |                |   |   |                |
| HAZARDOUS MIXTURES OF OTHER LIQUIDS, SOLIDS, OR GASES |   |                |   | % | TLV<br>(Units) |
|   |   |                |   |   |                |
|   |   |                |   |   |                |
|   |   |                |   |   |                |
|   |   |                |   |   |                |

## SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA

|                         |       |                                       |      |
|-------------------------|-------|---------------------------------------|------|
| BOILING POINT (°F.)     |       | SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H <sub>2</sub> O=1) | .78. |
| VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg.) |       | PERCENT. VOLATILE<br>BY VOLUME (%)    |      |
| VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1)   |       | EVAPORATION RATE<br>(_____ =1)        |      |
| SOLUBILITY IN WATER     |       |                                       |      |
| APPEARANCE AND ODOR     | Amber |                                       |      |

## SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

|                                    |                  |     |     |
|------------------------------------|------------------|-----|-----|
| FLASH POINT (Method used)          | FLAMMABLE LIMITS | Let | Uel |
| EXTINGUISHING MEDIA                |                  |     |     |
| SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES   |                  |     |     |
|                                    |                  |     |     |
| UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS |                  |     |     |
|                                    |                  |     |     |

| SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA     |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE              |  |
| EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE            | Direct contact with the skin can cause irritation. |
|                                    |  |
| EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES | Flush immediately with water and report to doctor. |
|                                    |  |
|                                    |  |

| SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA         |                |   |                              |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|---|------------------------------|
| STABILITY                            | UNSTABLE       |   | CONDITIONS TO AVOID          |
|                                      | STABLE         | X |                              |
| INCOMPATIBILITY (Materials to avoid) |                |   |                              |
| HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS     |                |   |                              |
| HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION             | MAY OCCUR      | X | CONDITIONS TO AVOID          |
|                                      | WILL NOT OCCUR |   | Contact with resin solution. |

| SECTION VII - SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES                    |  |
|---|--|
| STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED |  |
| Collect in disposable containers. Avoid physical contact. |  |
|   |  |
| WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD                                     |  |
| Approved landfill   |  |
|   |  |

| SECTION VIII - SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION |                      |                |
|---|----------------------|----------------|
| RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (Specify type)         |                      |                |
| VENTILATION                                   | LOCAL EXHAUST        | SPECIAL        |
|   | MECHANICAL (General) | OTHER          |
| PROTECTIVE GLOVES                             |                      | EYE PROTECTION |
| yes   |                      | yes            |
| OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT                    |                      |                |
| Safety shower and eye wash facility.          |                      |                |

| SECTION IX - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS  |  |
|---|--|
| PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORING                           |  |
| Keep lid closed and away from open flame.                                 |  |
| Fatal if taken internally. Protective clothing, gloves, goggles required. |  |
| OTHER PRECAUTIONS   |  |
|   |  |

Epoxy Resin

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## SECTION I

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| ADDRESS (Number, Street, City, State, and ZIP Code)<br>33095 Bainbridge Rd., Solon, OH 44139 |         |  |
| CHEMICAL NAME AND SYNONYMS   |         | TRADE NAME AND SYNONYMS<br>MARK-103 PART A |
| CHEMICAL FAMILY<br>Epoxy Resin   | FORMULA |  |

## SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

| PAINTS, PRESERVATIVES, & SOLVENTS                     | % | TLV<br>(Units) | ALLOYS AND METALLIC COATINGS              | % | TLV<br>(Units) |
|---|---|----------------|---|---|----------------|
| PIGMENTS  |   |                | BASE METAL                                |   |                |
| CATALYST  |   |                | ALLOYS                                    |   |                |
| VEHICLE   |   |                | METALLIC COATINGS                         |   |                |
| SOLVENTS  |   |                | FILLER METAL<br>PLUS COATING OR CORE FLUX |   |                |
| ADDITIVES   |   |                | OTHERS                                    |   |                |
| OTHERS  |   |                |   |   |                |
| HAZARDOUS MIXTURES OF OTHER LIQUIDS, SOLIDS, OR GASES |   |                |   | % | TLV<br>(Units) |
|   |   |                |   |   |                |
|   |   |                |   |   |                |
|   |   |                |   |   |                |
|   |   |                |   |   |                |

## SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA

|                         |       |                                       |     |
|-------------------------|-------|---------------------------------------|-----|
| BOILING POINT (°F.)     |       | SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H <sub>2</sub> O=1) | .96 |
| VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg.) |       | PERCENT VOLATILE<br>BY VOLUME (%)     |     |
| VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1)   |       | EVAPORATION RATE<br>(_____ = 1)       |     |
| SOLUBILITY IN WATER     |       |                                       |     |
| APPEARANCE AND ODOR     | Amber |                                       |     |

## SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

|  |                  |     |     |
|--|------------------|-----|-----|
| FLASH POINT (Method used)                        | FLAMMABLE LIMITS | Let | Uet |
| EXTINGUISHING MEDIA Carbon-dioxide, dry chemical |                  |     |     |
| SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES                 |                  |     |     |
| UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS               |                  |     |     |



| SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA   |  |
|--|--|
| THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE  |  |
| EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE<br>Direct contact with the skin can cause irritation             |  |
| EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES<br>Flush immediately with water and report to doctor. |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |

| SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA         |                |   |                                     |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| STABILITY                            | UNSTABLE       |   | CONDITIONS TO AVOID                 |
|                                      | STABLE         | X |                                     |
| INCOMPATIBILITY (Materials to avoid) |                |   |                                     |
| HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS     |                |   |                                     |
| HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION             | MAY OCCUR      | X | CONDITIONS TO AVOID                 |
|                                      | WILL NOT OCCUR |   | Contact with Polyamines, Polyamides |
|                                      |                |   |                                     |

| SECTION VII - SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES                    |  |
|---|--|
| STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED |  |
| Collect in disposable containers, Avoid physical contact. |  |
|   |  |
| WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD                                     |  |
| Approved landfill.  |  |
|   |  |

| SECTION VIII - SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION                      |                      |                       |         |
|--|----------------------|-----------------------|---------|
| RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (Specify type)                              |                      |                       |         |
| VENTILATION  | LOCAL EXHAUST        |                       | SPECIAL |
|  | MECHANICAL (General) |                       | OTHER   |
| PROTECTIVE GLOVES<br>yes   |                      | EYE PROTECTION<br>yes |         |
| OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT<br>Safety shower and eye wash facility. |                      |                       |         |

| SECTION IX - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS  |  |
|---|--|
| PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORING<br>Keep lid closed and away from open flame. Fatal if taken internally. Protective clothing, gloves and goggles |  |
| OTHER PRECAUTIONS<br>required.  |  |
|   |  |

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

*Brass  
Scrap*

## I. MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION

Manufacturer's Name: Newell Enterprises, Inc.  
Address: P.O. Box 9132  
San Antonio, Texas 78204  
Material Name: Brass Scrap

Telephone Number: 512 222-9511

## II. HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

|           | CAS Number  | %    |                  | OSHA<br>8-hr TWA                             | ACGIH<br>8-hr TWA<br>(1984-85)                | ACGIH<br>STEL<br>(1984-85) |
|-----------|-------------|------|------------------|--|---|----------------------------|
| Copper    | (7440-50-8) | ≥ 49 | (Dust)<br>(Fume) | 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  | 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>--  |
| Zinc      | (1314-13-2) | < 51 | (Dust)<br>(Fume) | --<br>5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                    | (2)<br>5 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>(as zinc oxide) | --<br>10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |
| Manganese | (7439-96-5) | < 13 | (Dust)<br>(Fume) | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> *<br>--                  | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> *<br>1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  | --<br>3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  |
| Lead      | (7439-92-1) | ≤ 8  |                  | 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                       | 0.15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                        | 0.45 mg/m <sup>3</sup>     |
| Aluminum  | (7429-90-5) | < 8  | (Dust)<br>(Fume) | --<br>--                                     | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   | 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>-- |
| Tin       | (7440-31-5) | < 7  |                  | 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                          | 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                           | 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>        |
| Silicon   | (7440-21-3) | < 6  |                  | (1)  | (2)   | 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup>       |
| Iron      | (1309-37-1) | ≤ 4  |                  | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                         | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>(as iron oxide fume)   | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>       |
| Nickel    | (7440-02-0) | ≤ 4  |                  | 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                          | 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                           | --                         |
| Antimony  | (7440-36-0) | < 1  |                  | 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                        | 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                         | --                         |
| Arsenic   | (7440-38-2) | < 1  |                  | 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                       | 0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                         | --                         |
| Silver    | (7440-22-4) | < 1  |                  | 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                       | 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                         | --                         |

### \* Ceiling Limit

- (1) < 1% quartz, 15 mg/m<sup>3</sup> of total dust or 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> respirable dust.
- (2) < 1% quartz, 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> of total dust or 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> respirable dust.

Note: antimony trioxide, arsenic, and nickel have been identified as potential human carcinogens. See Section VI, Health Hazard Data.

## III. PHYSICAL DATA

Melting Point: 988 - 1066° C  
Specific Gravity: 7.70 - 8.86  
Boiling Point (of copper): 2324° C

Vapor Pressure: 1 mm Hg @ 1628° C  
(of copper)  
Solubility in water: insoluble

Appearance: dependent on composition of scrap metal, processing method used, and existing protective coatings.

#### IV. FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

Flash Point: information not available      Flammable Limits: information not available  
Autoignition Temperature: information not available

Brass scrap itself presents a negligible fire and explosion hazard. A moderate fire and explosion hazard may exist due to contamination, or when the material is finely divided and exposed to heat or flames.

Fire Extinguishing Methods: Use dry chemical or sand. Fire fighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

#### V. REACTIVITY DATA

Copper reacts violently with acetylene. Material may also be incompatible with acids, bases, and oxidizers. Dust presents moderate fire and explosion hazards. Molten scrap metal may react violently with water. For additional information, users should consult data sheets on individual component elements.

#### VI. HEALTH HAZARD DATA

TLV: see Section II.

Primary Routes of Entry: inhalation of dust or fume.

Under normal handling and use, exposure to the massive form of brass scrap presents few health hazards. Thermal cutting and melting of scrap may produce fumes containing the component elements, and breathing these fumes may present potentially significant health hazards. The exposure levels in Section II are relevant to fumes and dusts. Special precautions should be taken if scrap is contaminated; see Section IX.

Fumes of copper, manganese, and zinc oxide may cause metal fume fever with flu-like symptoms. Copper may cause skin and hair discoloration; silver may cause a greyish pigmentation of the skin, and can cause irritation of the skin and mucous membranes. Overexposure to dusts and especially fumes containing component elements may cause skin, nose, mouth, and eye irritation and lung changes in workers, potentially leading to pulmonary diseases.

Nickel compounds have been associated with allergic reactions and rashes, and lung changes. Nickel is a respiratory irritant and can cause pneumonitis. Inhalation of finely divided aluminum powder may cause pulmonary fibrosis.

Overexposure to manganese fumes can cause chronic manganese poisoning. Early symptoms include headaches, apathy, sleepiness, and weakness or cramps in the legs. Chronic overexposure can affect the central nervous system, ultimately leading to emotional disturbances, gait and balance difficulties, and paralysis.

Overexposure to antimony may cause gastrointestinal upset and various nervous complaints, such as sleeplessness, irritability, and muscular pains. Inhalation of lead fumes or dusts, or ingestion of lead compounds, can cause lead poisoning, characterized by abdominal pains, joint and muscle pains, or weakness. Prolonged overexposure can cause central nervous system disorders.

Overexposure to arsenic fumes or dusts can lead to arsenic poisoning, characterized by nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea. Prolonged overexposure can lead to liver and kidney damage, central nervous system disorders, and ultimately death. Arsenic can cause skin irritation and allergic reactions.

Antimony trioxide, arsenic, and nickel have been identified as potential cancer-causing agents.

#### FIRST AID:

|               |  |
|---------------|--|
| Eye Contact:  | Flush well with running water to remove particulate. Get medical attention.  |
| Skin Contact: | Brush off excess dust. Wash area well with soap and water.   |
| Inhalation:   | Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention.  |
| Ingestion:    | Seek medical help if large quantities of material have been ingested. (Ingestion of significant amounts of scrap metal is unlikely.) |

## VII. SPILL PROCEDURES

No special precautions are necessary for spills of bulk material. If large quantities of dust are spilled, remove by vacuuming or wet sweeping to prevent heavy concentrations of airborne dust. Clean-up personnel should wear respirators and protective clothing.

Scrap metal can be reclaimed for reuse. Follow Federal, State, and Local regulations regarding disposal.

## VIII. SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

Use general and local exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations of dust or fumes below the TLV. Employees should wear MSHA or NIOSH approved respirators for protection against airborne dust or fumes. Full protective clothing should be worn by workers exposed to heavy concentrations of dust, and showering should be required before changing into street clothes. Gloves and barrier creams may be necessary to prevent skin sensitization and dermatitis.

Approved safety glasses or goggles should be worn when working with dusty material. Safety eyewash stations should be provided in close proximity to work areas.

Pre-employment and periodic medical evaluations should be provided. Attention should be directed toward skin, eyes, respiratory tract, blood, kidneys, pulmonary function, and neurologic health. Chest X-rays should be included if symptoms are present.

Food should not be consumed in the work area.

Special attention is drawn to the requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration standards for lead (29 CFR 1910.1025) and arsenic (29 CFR 1910.1018). State OSHA programs will also have similar requirements.

Special precautions should be taken if scrap is contaminated; see Section IX.

## IX. SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

Use good housekeeping practices to prevent accumulations of dust and to keep airborne dust concentrations at a minimum. Avoid breathing dust or fumes.

Store material away from incompatible materials, and keep dust away from sources of ignition.

This material is potentially contaminated with coatings, paints, preservatives, cutting oils, and other contaminants. If the material is contaminated, special precautions (such as process control and personal protective equipment, appropriate to the nature of the suspected contaminants) should be taken to avoid resulting exposures when handling, cutting (mechanical or thermal), and/or melting.

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Date Prepared: September 1985

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## I. MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION

Manufacturer's Name: Newell Enterprises, Inc.  
Address: P.O. Box 9132  
San Antonio, Texas 78204  
Material Name: Bronze Scrap

Telephone Number: 512 222-9511

## II. HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

|            | CAS Number  | $\lambda$ |                  | OSHA<br>8-hr TWA                             | ACGIH<br>8-hr TWA<br>(1984-85)                | ACGIH<br>STEL<br>(1984-85) |
|------------|-------------|-----------|------------------|--|---|----------------------------|
| Copper     | (7440-50-8) | > 66      | (Dust)<br>(Fume) | 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> | 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  | 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>--  |
| Lead       | (7439-92-1) | ≤ 25      |                  | 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                       | 0.15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                        | 0.45 mg/m <sup>3</sup>     |
| Tin        | (7440-31-5) | ≤ 20      |                  | 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                          | 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                           | 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>        |
| Aluminum   | (7429-90-5) | ≤ 15      | (Dust)<br>(Fume) | --<br>--                                     | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   | 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>-- |
| Manganese  | (7439-96-5) | ≤ 14      | (Dust)<br>(Fume) | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> *<br>--                  | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> *<br>1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  | --<br>3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  |
| Iron       | (1309-37-1) | ≤ 6       |                  | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                         | 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>(as iron oxide fume)   | 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>       |
| Nickel     | (7440-02-0) | ≤ 6       |                  | 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                          | 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                           | --                         |
| Zinc       | (1314-13-2) | ≤ 6       | (Dust)<br>(Fume) | --<br>5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                    | (2)<br>5 mg/m <sup>3</sup><br>(as zinc oxide) | --<br>10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |
| Silicon    | (7440-21-3) | ≤ 4       |                  | (1)  | (2)   | 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup>       |
| Phosphorus | (7723-14-0) | < 2       |                  | 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                        | 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                         | 0.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>      |
| Antimony   | (7440-36-0) | < 1       |                  | 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                        | 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                         | --                         |
| Arsenic    | (7440-38-2) | < 1       |                  | 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                       | 0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                         | --                         |
| Chromium   | (7440-47-3) | < 1       |                  | 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                          | 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                         | --                         |
| Cobalt     | (7440-48-4) | < 1       |                  | 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                        | 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                         | --                         |

• Ceiling Limit

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- (2) < 1% quartz, 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> of total dust or 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> respirable dust.

Note: Antimony trioxide, arsenic, chromium, cobalt-chromium alloy, and nickel have been identified as potential human carcinogens. See Section VI, Health Hazard Data.

### III. PHYSICAL DATA

Melting Point: 999 - 1077° C  
Specific Gravity: 7.50 - 8.30  
Boiling Point (of copper): 2324° C

Vapor Pressure: 1 mm Hg @ 1628° C  
(of copper)  
Solubility in water: insoluble

Appearance: dependent on composition of scrap metal, processing method used, and existing protective coatings.

### IV. FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

Flash Point: information not available      Flammability Limits: information not available  
Autoignition Temperature: information not available

Bronze scrap itself presents a negligible fire and explosion hazard. A moderate fire and explosion hazard may exist due to contamination, or when the material is finely divided and exposed to heat or flames. Phosphorus dust presents a serious fire and explosion hazard when exposed to heat or oxidizers.

Fire Extinguishing Methods: Use dry chemical or sand. Fire fighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

### V. REACTIVITY DATA

Copper reacts violently with acetylene. Material may also be incompatible with acids, bases, and oxidizers. Dust presents moderate fire and explosion hazards. Molten scrap metal may react violently with water. For additional information, users should consult data sheets on individual component elements.

### VI. HEALTH HAZARD DATA

TLV: see Section II.  
Primary Routes of Entry: inhalation of dust or fume.

Under normal handling and use, exposure to the massive form of bronze scrap presents few health hazards. Thermal cutting and melting of scrap may produce fumes containing the component elements, and breathing these fumes may present potentially significant health hazards. The exposure levels in Section II are relevant to fumes and dusts. Special precautions should be taken if scrap is contaminated; see Section IX.

Fumes of copper, manganese, and zinc oxide may cause metal fume fever with flu-like symptoms. Copper may cause skin and hair discoloration. Overexposure to dusts and especially fumes containing component elements may cause skin, nose, mouth, and eye irritation and lung changes in workers, potentially leading to pulmonary diseases.

Chromium and nickel compounds have been associated with allergic reactions and rashes, and lung changes. Nickel is a respiratory irritant and can cause pneumonitis. Inhalation of finely divided aluminum powder may cause pulmonary fibrosis. Cobalt is irritating to the eyes and skin and can cause allergic dermatitis, especially in combination with nickel and chromium.

Overexposure to manganese fumes can cause chronic manganese poisoning. Early symptoms include headaches, apathy, sleepiness, and weakness or cramps in the legs. Chronic overexposure can affect the central nervous system, ultimately leading to emotional disturbances, gait and balance difficulties, and paralysis.

Overexposure to antimony may cause gastrointestinal upset and various nervous complaints, such as sleeplessness, irritability, and muscular pains. Inhalation of lead fumes and dusts, or ingestion of lead compounds, can cause lead poisoning, characterized by abdominal pains, joint and muscle pains, or weakness. Prolonged overexposure can cause central nervous system disorders.

Overexposure to arsenic fumes or dusts can lead to arsenic poisoning, characterized by nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea. Prolonged overexposure can lead to liver and kidney damage, central nervous system disorders, and ultimately death. Arsenic can cause skin irritation and allergic reactions.

Overexposure to tin dusts may cause irritation of the skin and mucous membranes, and may result in a benign pneumoconiosis (stannosis). Absorption of large quantities of phosphorus can cause liver damage and necrosis of the jaw.

Antimony trioxide, arsenic, chromium, cobalt-chromium alloy, and nickel have been identified as potential cancer-causing agents.

FIRST AID:

Eye Contact: Flush well with running water to remove particulate. Get medical attention.  
Skin Contact: Brush off excess dust. Wash area well with soap and water.  
Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention.  
Ingestion: Seek medical help if large quantities of material have been ingested. (Ingestion of significant amounts of scrap metal is unlikely.)

VII. SPILL PROCEDURES

No special precautions are necessary for spills of bulk material. If large quantities of dust are spilled, remove by vacuuming or wet sweeping to prevent heavy concentrations of airborne dust. Clean-up personnel should wear respirators and protective clothing.

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VIII. SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

Use general and local exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations of dust or fumes below the TLV. Employees should wear MSHA or NIOSH approved respirators for protection against airborne dust or fumes. Full protective clothing should be worn by workers exposed to heavy concentrations of dust, and showering should be required before changing into street clothes. Gloves and barrier creams may be necessary to prevent skin sensitization and dermatitis.

Approved safety glasses or goggles should be worn when working with dusty material. Safety eyewash stations should be provided in close proximity to work areas.

Pre-employment and periodic medical evaluations should be provided. Attention should be directed toward skin, eyes, teeth, respiratory tract, liver, kidneys, blood, pulmonary function, and neurologic health. Chest X-rays should be included if symptoms are present.

Food should not be consumed in the work area.

Special attention is drawn to the requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration standards for lead (29 CFR 1910.1025) and arsenic (29 CFR 1910.1018). State OSHA programs will also have similar requirements.

Special precautions should be taken if scrap is contaminated; see Section IX.

IX. SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

Use good housekeeping practices to prevent accumulations of dust and to keep airborne dust concentrations at a minimum.

Store material away from incompatible materials, and keep dust away from sources of ignition.

This material is potentially contaminated with coatings, preservatives, oil, and other contaminants. If the material is contaminated, special precautions (such as process control and personal protective equipment, appropriate to the nature of the suspected contaminants) should be taken to avoid resulting exposures when handling, cutting (mechanical or thermal), and/or melting.

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## SECTION I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: ACETONE  
FORMULA:  $(CH_3)_2CO$   
FORMULA WT: 58.08  
CAS NO.: 00067-64-1  
NIOSH/RTCS NO.: AL3150000  
COMMON SYNONYMS: DIMETHYL KETONE; METHYL KETONE; 2-PROPANONE  
PRODUCT CODES: 9010, 9006, 9002, 9254, 9009, 9001, 9004, 5355, A134, 9007, 9005, 9008

## PRECAUTIONARY LABELLING

BAKER SAF-T-DATA(TM) SYSTEM

HEALTH - 1  
FLAMMABILITY - 3 (FLAMMABLE)  
REACTIVITY - 2  
CONTACT - 1

## LABORATORY PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

SAFETY GLASSES; LAB COAT; VENT HOOD; PROPER GLOVES; CLASS B EXTINGUISHER

## PRECAUTIONARY LABEL STATEMENTS

DANGER  
EXTREMELY FLAMMABLE  
HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED OR INHALED  
CAUSES IRRITATION

KEEP AWAY FROM HEAT, SPARKS, FLAME. AVOID CONTACT WITH EYES, SKIN, CLOTHING.  
AVOID BREATHING VAPOR. KEEP IN TIGHTLY CLOSED CONTAINER. USE WITH ADEQUATE  
VENTILATION. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING. IN CASE OF FIRE, USE WATER SPRAY,  
ALCOHOL FOAM, DRY CHEMICAL, OR CARBON DIOXIDE. FLUSH SPILL AREA WITH WATER  
SPRAY.

## SECTION II - HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS

| COMPONENT | %      | CAS NO. |
|-----------|--------|---------|
| ACETONE   | 90-100 | 67-64-1 |

## SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA

|                                   |                 |  |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| BOILING POINT:                    | 56 C ( 133 F)   | VAPOR PRESSURE(MM HG): 181                 |
| MELTING POINT:                    | -95 C ( -139 F) | VAPOR DENSITY(AIR=1): 2                    |
| SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 0.79<br>(H2O=1) |                 | EVAPORATION RATE: 5.6<br>(BUTYL ACETATE=1) |

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SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA (CONTINUED)

SOLUBILITY(H<sub>2</sub>O): COMPLETE (IN ALL PROPORTIONS) % VOLATILES BY VOLUME: 100

APPEARANCE & ODOR: CLEAR, COLORLESS LIQUID WITH FRAGRANT SWEET ODOR.

SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT: -18 C ( 0 F) NFPA 704M RATING: 1-3-0

FLAMMABLE LIMITS: UPPER - 13 % LOWER - 2 %

FIRE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

USE ALCOHOL FOAM, DRY CHEMICAL OR CARBON DIOXIDE.  
(WATER MAY BE INEFFECTIVE.)

SPECIAL FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES

FIREFIGHTERS SHOULD WEAR PROPER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND SELF-CONTAINED  
(POSITIVE PRESSURE IF AVAILABLE) BREATHING APPARATUS WITH FULL FACEPIECE.  
MOVE EXPOSED CONTAINERS FROM FIRE AREA IF IT CAN BE DONE WITHOUT RISK.  
USE WATER TO KEEP FIRE-EXPOSED CONTAINERS COOL.

UNUSUAL FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS

VAPORS MAY FLOW ALONG SURFACES TO DISTANT IGNITION SOURCES AND FLASH BACK.  
CLOSED CONTAINERS EXPOSED TO HEAT MAY EXPLODE. CONTACT WITH STRONG  
OXIDIZERS MAY CAUSE FIRE.

SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE (TLV/TWA): 1780 MG/M<sup>3</sup> ( 750 PPM)

SHORT-TERM EXPOSURE LIMIT (STEL): 2375 MG/M<sup>3</sup> ( 1000 PPM)

TOXICITY: LD50 (ORAL-RAT)(MG/KG) - 9750  
LD50 (IPR-MOUSE)(G/KG) - 1297

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE

CONTACT WITH SKIN HAS A DEFATTING EFFECT, CAUSING DRYING AND IRRITATION.  
OVEREXPOSURE TO VAPORS MAY CAUSE IRRITATION OF MUCCOUS MEMBRANES, DRYNESS  
OF MOUTH AND THROAT, HEADACHE, NAUSEA AND DIZZINESS.

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

CALL A PHYSICIAN.

IF SWALLOWED, IF CONSCIOUS, IMMEDIATELY INDUCE VOMITING.

IF INHALED, REMOVE TO FRESH AIR. IF NOT BREATHING, GIVE ARTIFICIAL  
RESPIRATION. IF BREATHING IS DIFFICULT, GIVE OXYGEN.

IN CASE OF CONTACT, IMMEDIATELY FLUSH EYES WITH PLENTY OF WATER FOR AT  
LEAST 15 MINUTES. FLUSH SKIN WITH WATER.

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SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: STABLE

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: HEAT, FLAME, SOURCES OF IGNITION

INCOMPATIBLES: SULFURIC ACID, NITRIC ACID, STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS

SECTION VII - SPILL AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN THE EVENT OF A SPILL OR DISCHARGE

WEAR SUITABLE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING. SHUT OFF IGNITION SOURCES; NO FLARES, SMOKING, OR FLAMES IN AREA. STOP LEAK IF YOU CAN DO SO WITHOUT RISK. USE WATER SPRAY TO REDUCE VAPORS. TAKE UP WITH SAND OR OTHER NON-COMBUSTIBLE ABSORBENT MATERIAL AND PLACE INTO CONTAINER FOR LATER DISPOSAL. FLUSH AREA WITH WATER.

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DISPOSAL PROCEDURE

DISPOSE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS.

EPA HAZARDOUS WASTE NUMBER: U002 (TOXIC WASTE)

SECTION VIII - PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

VENTILATION: USE GENERAL OR LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION TO MEET TLV REQUIREMENTS.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: RESPIRATORY PROTECTION REQUIRED IF AIRBORNE CONCENTRATION EXCEEDS TLV. AT CONCENTRATIONS UP TO 5000 PPM, A GAS MASK WITH ORGANIC VAPOR CANNISTER IS RECOMMENDED. ABOVE THIS LEVEL, A SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH FULL FACE SHIELD IS ADVISED.

EYE/SKIN PROTECTION: SAFETY GLASSES WITH SIDESHIELDS, POLYVINYL ACETATE GLOVES ARE RECOMMENDED.

SECTION IX - STORAGE AND HANDLING PRECAUTIONS

SAF-T-DATA(TM) STORAGE COLOR CODE: RED

SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

BOND AND GROUND CONTAINERS WHEN TRANSFERRING LIQUID. KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED. STORE IN A COOL, DRY, WELL-VENTILATED, FLAMMABLE LIQUID STORAGE AREA.

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SECTION X - TRANSPORTATION DATA AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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| PROPER SHIPPING NAME | ACETONE          |
| HAZARD CLASS         | FLAMMABLE LIQUID |
| UN/NA                | UN1090           |
| LABELS               | FLAMMABLE LIQUID |

INTERNATIONAL (I.M.O.)

|                      |                  |
|----------------------|------------------|
| PROPER SHIPPING NAME | ACETONE          |
| HAZARD CLASS         | 3.1              |
| UN/NA                | UN1090           |
| LABELS               | FLAMMABLE LIQUID |

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SUBSTANCE IDENTIFICATION

CAS-NUMBER 1336-21-6

SUBSTANCE: \*\*AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE\*\*

TRADE NAMES/SYNONYMS: AMMONIA AQUEOUS; AMMONIA SOLUTION; AQUA AMMONIA;  
AMMONIUM HYDRATE; WATER OF AMMONIA; UN 2672; A-669; A-669C; A-669-SI; A-669-S;  
A-667

CHEMICAL FAMILY:  
INORGANIC BASE

MOLECULAR FORMULA: N-H5-O MOL WT: 35.06

CERCLA RATINGS (SCALE 0-3): HEALTH=2 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=0 PERSISTENCE=0

COMPONENTS AND CONTAMINANTS

PERCENT: 100 COMPONENT: AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE

OTHER CONTAMINANTS: NONE

EXPOSURE LIMITS:  
50 PPM NIOSH RECOMMENDED CEILING FOR AMMONIA GAS,  
25 PPM ACGIH TWA (FOR AMMONIA GAS)

PHYSICAL DATA

DESCRIPTION: COLORLESS LIQUID WITH STRONG AMMONIA ODOR

MELTING POINT: -107 F (-77 C) SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 0.9

VAPOR PRESSURE: 420-475 MMHG AS NH3 SOLUBILITY IN WATER: COMPLETE

ODOR THRESHOLD: 50 PPM VAPOR DENSITY: 0.6

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FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD:  
NEGLECTIBLE FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD. NOT FLAMMABLE LIQUID (DOT); HOWEVER, THE AMMONIA GAS EVOLVED IS FLAMMABLE.

FLASH POINT: NONFLAMMABLE      UPPER EXPLOSION LIMIT: 27% AS NH3

LOWER EXPLOSION LIMIT: 16% AS NH3      AUTOIGNITION TEMP.: 1204 F (AMMONIA)

FIREFIGHTING MEDIA:  
DRY CHEMICAL, CARBON DIOXIDE, WATER SPRAY OR FOAM  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FOR LARGER FIRES, USE WATER SPRAY, FOG OR ALCOHOL FOAM  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FIREFIGHTING:  
MOVE CONTAINERS FROM FIRE AREA IF POSSIBLE. COOL CONTAINERS EXPOSED TO FLAMES WITH WATER FROM SIDE UNTIL WELL AFTER FIRE IS OUT (1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

EXTINGUISH USING AGENT INDICATED. USE FLOODING AMOUNTS OF WATER AS A FOG FROM AS FAR A DISTANCE AS POSSIBLE. USE WATER SPRAY TO ABSORB CORROSIVE VAPORS. AVOID BREATHING CORROSIVE VAPORS; KEEP UPWIND (BUREAU OF EXPLOSIVES, EMERGENCY HANDLING OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS IN SURFACE TRANSPORTATION, 1981).

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TOXICITY

44 UG EYE-RABBIT SEVERE IRRITATION; 43 MG/KG ORAL-HUMAN LDLO; 5000 PPM INHALATION-HUMAN LCLO; 408 PPM INHALATION-HUMAN TCLO; 750 MG/KG ORAL-RAT LDLO; 350 MG/KG ORAL-RAT LD50; 10 MG/KG INTRAVENOUS-RABBIT LDLO; MUTAGENIC DATA (RTECS); CARCINOGEN STATUS: NONE.

AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE IS CORROSIVE TO THE EYES, SKIN, AND MUCOUS MEMBRANES.

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HEALTH EFFECTS AND FIRST AID

INHALATION:  
CORROSIVE.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- MILD EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE IRRITATION OF THE NOSE, COUGHING, SNEEZING. SEVERE EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY IRRITATION, DYSPNEA, PULMONARY EDEMA, SHOCK, CONVULSIONS, CYANOSIS, RAPID AND WEAK PULSE AND CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM DEPRESSION.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- MAY CAUSE IRRITATION, BRONCHITIS, PNEUMONIA. SEE MICROORGANISM AND MUTAGENIC REFERENCES IN TOXICITY SECTION.

SKIN CONTACT:  
CORROSIVE.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- MAY CAUSE SEVERE BURNING PAIN AND CORROSIVE DAMAGE.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- MAY CAUSE DERMATITIS.

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FIRST AID- REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES IMMEDIATELY. WASH AFFECTED AREA WITH SOAP OR MILD DETERGENT AND LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER (APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES) UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS. IN CASE OF CHEMICAL BURNS, COVER AREA WITH STERILE, DRY DRESSING. BANDAGE SECURELY, BUT NOT TOO TIGHTLY. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

**EYE CONTACT:**

**CORROSIVE.**

ACUTE EXPOSURE- MAY CAUSE REDNESS, IRRITATION, CHEMICAL BURNS, TEMPORARY BLINDNESS, AND ULCERATION.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- IRRITATION, CATARACTS, AND RETINAL ATROPHY MAY OCCUR.

FIRST AID- WASH EYES IMMEDIATELY WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER, OCCASIONALLY LIFTING UPPER AND LOWER LIDS, UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS. (APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES). IN PRESENCE OF BURNS, APPLY STERILE BANDAGE LOOSELY WITHOUT MEDICATION. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

**INGESTION:**

**CORROSIVE.**

ACUTE EXPOSURE- MAY CAUSE EXCESSIVE SALIVATION, NAUSEA, VOMITING, GASTRIC IRRITATION AND, POSSIBLY, PERFORATION. SEVERE EXPOSURE MAY PRODUCE CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM DEPRESSION, SHOCK, CONVULSIONS, AND PULMONARY EDEMA IF ASPIRATION OCCURS.

FIRST AID- IF VICTIM IS CONSCIOUS AND NOT CONVULSIVE, IMMEDIATELY GIVE LARGE QUANTITIES OF WATER TO DILUTE THE ALAKAL. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

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**REACTIVITY**

**REACTIVITY:**

GENERALLY STABLE. MAY UNDERGO VIOLENT REACTION WITH INCOMPATIBLE SUBSTANCES.

**INCOMPATIBILITIES:**

AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE DECOMPOSES, RELEASING IRRITATING OR TOXIC GASES, WHEN HEATED.

**DECOMPOSITION:**

MAY PRODUCE CORROSIVE VAPORS OF AMMONIA AND TOXIC OXIDES OF NITROGEN.

**POLYMERIZATION:**

NOT KNOWN TO OCCUR.

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**CONDITIONS TO AVOID**

FLAMMABLE, POISONOUS GASES MAY ACCUMULATE IN TANKS AND HOPPER CARS. MAY IGNITE COMBUSTIBLES (WOOD, PAPER, OIL, ETC.).

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**SPILL AND LEAK PROCEDURES**

**—SOIL SPILL:**

—DIG A HOLDING AREA SUCH AS A PIT, POND OR LAGOON TO CONTAIN SPILL AND DIKE SURFACE FLOW USING BARRIER OF SOIL, SANDBAGS, FOAMED POLYURETHANE OR FOAMED

CONCRETE. ABSORB LIQUID MASS WITH FLY ASH OR CEMENT POWDER.

ADD DILUTE ACID TO NEUTRALIZE.

AIR SPILL:

KNOCK DOWN VAPORS WITH WATER SPRAY. KEEP UPWIND.

WATER SPILL:

ADD SUITABLE AGENT TO NEUTRALIZE SPILLED MATERIAL TO PH-7.

OCCUPATIONAL SPILL:

DO NOT TOUCH SPILLED MATERIAL. STOP LEAK IF YOU CAN DO IT WITHOUT RISK. FOR SMALL SPILLS, TAKE UP WITH SAND OR OTHER ABSORBENT MATERIAL AND PLACE INTO CONTAINERS FOR LATER DISPOSAL. FOR SMALL DRY SPILLS, WITH CLEAN SHOVEL PLACE MATERIAL INTO CLEAN, DRY CONTAINER AND COVER. MOVE CONTAINERS FROM SPILL AREA. FOR LARGER SPILLS, DIKE FAR AHEAD OF SPILL FOR LATER DISPOSAL. KEEP UNNECESSARY PEOPLE AWAY. ISOLATE HAZARD AREA AND DENY ENTRY.

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PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

VENTILATION:

PROVIDE LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION SYSTEM.

RESPIRATOR:

>300 PPM- SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH FULL FACEPIECE.

FIREFIGHTING- SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH FULL FACEPIECE OPERATED IN PRESSURE-DEMAND OR OTHER POSITIVE-PRESSURE MODE.

CLOTHING:

WEAR PROTECTIVE CLOTHING. PREVENT ANY POSSIBILITY OF CONTACT WITH LIQUID AND REPEATED OR PROLONGED VAPOR CONTACT WITH SKIN.

GLOVES:

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE GLOVES TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

EYE PROTECTION:

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR SPLASH-PROOF OR DUST-RESISTANT SAFETY GOGGLES AND A FACESHIELD TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

WHERE THERE IS ANY POSSIBILITY THAT AN EMPLOYEE'S EYES MAY BE EXPOSED TO THIS SUBSTANCE, THE EMPLOYER SHALL PROVIDE AN EYE-WASH FOUNTAIN WITHIN THE IMMEDIATE WORK AREA FOR EMERGENCY USE.

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CAS NO.: 01336-21-6

MSDS/RTCS NO.: 009625000

COMMON SYNONYMS: AMMONIA SOLUTION; AQUA AMMONIA

PRODUCT CODES: 4807, 9730, 9733, 5350, 9719, 9729, 5355, 9721, 9731, 5019, 9720, 5138

PRECAUTIONARY LABELING

BAKER SAF-T-DATA(TM) SYSTEM

|              |                 |
|--------------|-----------------|
| HEALTH       | - 3 (POISON)    |
| FLAMMABILITY | - 1             |
| REACTIVITY   | - 2             |
| CONTACT      | - 3 (CORROSIVE) |

LABORATORY PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

GOGLES & SHIELD; LAB COAT & APRON; VENT HOOD; PROPER GLOVES

PRECAUTIONARY LABEL STATEMENTS

POISON, DANGER  
CAUSES BURNS  
VAPOR EXTREMELY IRRITATING  
MAY BE FATAL IF SWALLOWED  
DO NOT GET IN EYES, ON SKIN, ON CLOTHING.  
DO NOT BREATHE VAPOR. KEEP IN TIGHTLY CLOSED CONTAINER. USE WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING.

SECTION II - HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS

COMPONENT

% CAS NO.

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SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA

BOILING POINT: N/A

VAPOR PRESSURE(MM HG): N/A

MELTING POINT: N/A

VAPOR DENSITY(AIR=1): N/A

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 0.90  
(H<sub>2</sub>O=1)

EVAPORATION RATE: N/A  
(BUTYL ACETATE=1)

SOLUBILITY(H<sub>2</sub>O): COMPLETE (IN ALL PROPORTIONS) & VOLATILES BY VOLUME: 100

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SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA (CONTINUED)

APPEARANCE & ODOR: CLEAR COLORLESS SOLUTION WITH A STRONG ODOR.

SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT: N/A NFPA 704M RATING: 3-1-0

FIRE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

USE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA APPROPRIATE FOR SURROUNDING FIRE.

SPECIAL FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES

FIREFIGHTERS SHOULD WEAR PROPER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH FULL FACEPIECE OPERATED IN POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE

TOXIC GASES PRODUCED

AMMONIA

SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

TOXICITY: LD50 (ORAL-RAT) (MG/KG) - 350

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE

CONTACT WITH SKIN OR EYES MAY CAUSE SEVERE IRRITATION OR BURNS.  
INHALATION OF VAPORS MAY CAUSE COUGHING, CHEST PAINS, DIFFICULTY BREATHING OR UNCONSCIOUSNESS.  
INGESTION MAY CAUSE SEVERE BURNING TO MOUTH AND STOMACH.

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

CALL A PHYSICIAN.  
IF SWALLOWED, DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING; IF CONSCIOUS, GIVE LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER.  
IF INHALED, REMOVE TO FRESH AIR. IF NOT BREATHING, GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. IF BREATHING IS DIFFICULT, GIVE OXYGEN.  
IN CASE OF CONTACT, IMMEDIATELY FLUSH EYES OR SKIN WITH PLENTY OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES WHILE REMOVING CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES.  
WASH CLOTHING BEFORE RE-USE.

SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: STABLE HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: HEAT

INCOMPATIBLES: STRONG ACIDS, FLUORINE

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: AMMONIA

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SECTION VII - SPILL AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

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STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN THE EVENT OF A SPILL OR DISCHARGE

WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS AND FULL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING. STOP  
LEAK IF YOU CAN DO SO WITHOUT RISK. VENTILATE AREA. CAREFULLY NEUTRALIZE  
SPILL WITH DILUTE HCL. FLUSH AREA WITH FLOODING AMOUNTS OF WATER. (USE  
CAUTION.)

J. T. BAKER NEUTRACIT-2(R) CAUSTIC NEUTRALIZER IS RECOMMENDED  
FOR SPILLS OF THIS PRODUCT.

DISPOSAL PROCEDURE

DISPOSE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL  
ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS.

EPA HAZARDOUS WASTE NUMBER:

D002, D003 (CORROSIVE, REACTIVE WASTE)

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SECTION VIII - PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

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VENTILATION:

USE ADEQUATE GENERAL OR LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION  
TO KEEP VAPOR AND MIST LEVELS AS LOW AS POSSIBLE.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:

NONE REQUIRED WHERE ADEQUATE VENTILATION  
CONDITIONS EXIST. IF AIRBORNE CONCENTRATION IS  
HIGH, A CHEMICAL CARTRIDGE RESPIRATOR WITH  
AMMONIA/AMINE CARTRIDGE IS RECOMMENDED. IF  
CONCENTRATION EXCEEDS CAPACITY OF CARTRIDGE  
RESPIRATOR, A SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS  
IS ADVISED.

EYE/SKIN PROTECTION:

SAFETY GOGGLES AND FACE SHIELD, UNIFORM,  
PROTECTIVE SUIT, RUBBER GLOVES ARE RECOMMENDED.

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SECTION IX - STORAGE AND HANDLING PRECAUTIONS

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SAF-T-DATA(TM) STORAGE COLOR CODE:

WHITE STRIPE

SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED. STORE IN CORROSION-PROOF AREA.

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SECTION X - TRANSPORTATION DATA AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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DOMESTIC (D.O.T.)

PROPER SHIPPING NAME

AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE (12-44% AMMONIA)

HAZARD CLASS

CORROSIVE MATERIAL (LIQUID)

UN/NA

NA2672

HAZEL

CORROSIVE

REPORTABLE QUANTITY

1000 LBS.

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SECTION X - TRANSPORTATION DATA AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

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INTERNATIONAL (I.M.C.)

|                      |                                    |
|----------------------|------------------------------------|
| PROPER SHIPPING NAME | AMMONIA SOLUTIONS (10-35% AMMONIA) |
| HAZARD CLASS         | 2                                  |
| UN/NA                | UN2672                             |
| LABELS               | CORROSIVE                          |

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|---|---------------------------------------|
| PRODUCT NAME<br>Argon                               | CAS #<br>7440-37-1                    |
| TRADE NAME AND SYNONYMS<br>Argon; Argon, compressed | DOT I.D. No.:<br>UN 1006              |
| CHEMICAL NAME AND SYNONYMS<br>Argon                 | DOT Hazard Class:<br>Nonflammable gas |
|   | Formula:<br>Ar                        |
| ISSUE DATE AND REVISIONS<br>25 November 1985        | Chemical Family:<br>Rare gas          |

**HEALTH HAZARD DATA**

TIME WEIGHTED AVERAGE EXPOSURE LIMIT Argon is defined as a simple asphyxiant. Oxygen levels should be maintained at greater than 18 molar percent at normal atmospheric pressure which is equivalent to a partial pressure of 135 mm Hg (ACGIH, 1985-86).

**SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE**

Effects of exposure to high concentrations so as to displace the oxygen in air necessary for life may include any, all, or none of the following:

- o Loss of balance or dizziness
- o Tightness in the frontal area of the forehead
- o Tingling in the tongue, fingertips or toes

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**TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES**

Argon is nontoxic but the liberation of a large amount in a confined area could displace the amount of oxygen in air necessary to support life.

**RECOMMENDED FIRST AID TREATMENT**

PROMPT MEDICAL ATTENTION IS MANDATORY IN ALL CASES OF OVEREXPOSURE TO ARGON. RESCUE PERSONNEL SHOULD BE EQUIPPED WITH SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS.

Inhalation: Conscious persons should be assisted to an uncontaminated area and inhale fresh air. Quick removal from the contaminated area is most important. Unconscious persons should be moved to an uncontaminated area, given mouth-to-mouth resuscitation and supplemental oxygen. Further treatment should be symptomatic and supportive.

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## HAZARDOUS MIXTURES OF OTHER LIQUIDS, SOLIDS, OR GASES

None

## PHYSICAL DATA

|   |  |
|---|--|
| BOILING POINT<br>-302.6°F (-185.9°C)  | LIQUID DENSITY AT BOILING POINT<br>87 lb/ft <sup>3</sup> (1393 kg/m <sup>3</sup> ) |
| VAPOR PRESSURE @ 70°F (21.1°C): Above the critical temp. of -188.1°F (-122.3°C) | GAS DENSITY AT 70°F, 1 atm<br>.1034 lb/ft <sup>3</sup> (1.656 kg/m <sup>3</sup> )  |
| SOLUBILITY IN WATER<br>Very slightly  | FREEZING POINT<br>-308.9°F (-189.4°C)  |
| EVAPORATION RATE<br>N/A   | SPECIFIC GRAVITY (AIR=1)<br>1.38   |
| APPEARANCE AND ODOR<br>Colorless, odorless gas                                  |  |

## FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

|  |                                  |   |
|--|----------------------------------|---|
| FLASH POINT (Method used)<br>N/A               | AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE<br>N/A | FLAMMABLE LIMITS % BY VOLUME<br>LEL N/A UEL N/A |
| EXTINGUISHING MEDIA<br>Nonflammable, inert gas |                                  | ELECTRICAL CLASSIFICATION<br>Nonhazardous       |
| SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES<br><br>N/A    |                                  |   |
| UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS<br><br>N/A  |                                  |   |

## REACTIVITY DATA

|  |   |                     |
|--|---|---------------------|
| STABILITY<br>Unstable                        |   | CONDITIONS TO AVOID |
| Stable                                       | X | N/A                 |
| INCOMPATIBILITY (Materials to avoid)<br>None |   |                     |
| HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS<br>None     |   |                     |
| HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION                     |   | CONDITIONS TO AVOID |
| May Occur                                    |   |                     |
| Will Not Occur                               | X | N/A                 |

## SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

## STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED

Evacuate all personnel from affected area. Use appropriate protective equipment. If leak is in container or container valve, contact your closest supplier location or call the emergency telephone number listed herein.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD Do not attempt to dispose of waste or unused quantities. Return in the shipping container properly labeled, with any valve outlet plugs or caps secured and valve protection cap in place to your supplier. For emergency disposal assistance, contact your closest supplier location or call the emergency telephone number listed herein

Argon

**SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION**

|   |                                 |                |
|---|---------------------------------|----------------|
| RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (Specify type) Positive pressure air line with mask or self-contained breathing apparatus should be available for emergency use. |                                 |                |
| VENTILATION<br>See Local Exhaust on last page.  | LOCAL EXHAUST<br>See last page. | SPECIAL<br>N/A |
|   | MECHANICAL (Gen.)<br>N/A        | OTHER<br>N/A   |
| PROTECTIVE GLOVES<br>Any material   |                                 |                |
| EYE PROTECTION<br>Safety goggles or glasses   |                                 |                |
| OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT<br>Safety shoes  |                                 |                |

**SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS\***

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| <b>SPECIAL LABELING INFORMATION</b><br>DOT Shipping Name: Argon or Argon, Compressed      DOT Hazard Class: Nonflammable gas<br>DOT Shipping Label: Nonflammable gas              I.D. No.: UN 1006  |
| <b>SPECIAL HANDLING RECOMMENDATIONS</b><br>Use only in well-ventilated areas. Valve protection caps must remain in place unless container is secured with valve outlet piped to use point. Do not drag, slide or roll cylinders. Use a suitable hand truck for cylinder movement. Use a pressure reducing regulator when connecting cylinder to lower pressure (<3,000 psig) piping or systems. Do not heat cylinder by any means to increase the discharge rate of product from the cylinder. Use a check valve or trap in the discharge line to prevent hazardous back flow into the cylinder.<br><br>For additional recommendations, consult Compressed Gas Association's Pamphlets P-1, P-9, P-14, and Safety Bulletin SB-2. |
| <b>SPECIAL STORAGE RECOMMENDATIONS</b><br>Protect cylinders from physical damage. Store in cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from heavily trafficked areas and emergency exits. Do not allow the temperature where cylinders are stored to exceed 130F (54C). Cylinders should be stored upright and firmly secured to prevent falling or being knocked over. Full and empty cylinders should be segregated. Use a "first in-first out" inventory system to prevent full cylinders being stored for excessive periods of time.<br><br>For additional recommendations, consult Compressed Gas Association's Pamphlets P-1, P-9, P-14, and Safety Bulletin SB-2.  |
| <b>SPECIAL PACKAGING RECOMMENDATIONS</b><br><br>Argon is noncorrosive and may be used with any common structural material.   |
| <b>OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS OR PRECAUTIONS</b><br><br>Compressed gas cylinders should not be refilled except by qualified producers of compressed gases. Shipment of a compressed gas cylinder which has not been filled by the owner or with his (written) consent is a violation of Federal Law (49CFR).  |

\*Various Government agencies (i.e., Department of Transportation, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Food and Drug Administration and others) may have specific regulations concerning the transportation, handling, storage or use of this product which will not be reflected in this data sheet. The customer should review these regulations to ensure that he is in full compliance.

SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE: (Continued)

- o Weakened speech leading to the inability to utter sounds
- o Rapid reduction in the ability to perform movements
- o Reduced consciousness of the surroundings
- o Loss of tactile sensations
- o Heightened mental activity

It should be recognized that it is possible that none of the above symptoms may occur in argon asphyxia so that there are no definite warning symptoms.

LOCAL EXHAUST: (Continued)

To prevent accumulation of high concentrations so as to reduce the oxygen level in the air to less than 18 molar percent.



PRODUCT: Argon, Compressed

DOT CLASS: Non-flammable gas

REQUIRED LABELS: Non-flammable gas

U.N. NO.: 1006

SYNONYMS:

AUTOIGNITION TEMP: N/A °F VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1): 1.38

FLAMMABILITY LIMITS: Upper N/A Lower N/A

HAZARD ID: Health N/A Flammability N/A Reactivity N/A

#### FIRE OR EXPLOSION

May burn but does not ignite readily. Container may explode in heat of fire.

#### HEALTH HAZARDS

Vapors may cause dizziness or suffocation. Contact with liquid may cause frostbite. Fire may produce irritating or poisonous gases.

#### EMERGENCY ACTION

Keep unnecessary people away. Stay upwind, keep out of low areas. Isolate area and deny entry. Wear self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing. For EMERGENCY assistance call CHEMTREC (800) 424 9300.

**FIRE** For small fires, use dry chemical or CO<sub>2</sub>. For large fires, use water spray, fog or foam. Move container from fire area if you can do it without risk. Stay away from ends of tanks. Cool containers that are exposed to flames with water from the sides until well after fire is out.

**SPILL OR LEAK** Stop leak if you can do it without risk.

**FIRST AID** Move victim to fresh air, call emergency medical care. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult give oxygen.



|                            |                   |
|----------------------------|-------------------|
| PRODUCT NAME               | CAS #             |
| Helium                     | 7440-59-7         |
| TRADE NAME AND SYNONYMS    | DOT I.D. No.:     |
| Helium                     | UN 1046           |
| CHEMICAL NAME AND SYNONYMS | DOT Hazard Class: |
| Helium                     | Nonflammable gas  |
| ISSUE DATE AND REVISIONS   | Formula:          |
| 25 November 1985           | He                |
|                            | Chemical Family:  |
|                            | Inert gas         |

**HEALTH HAZARD DATA**

TIME WEIGHTED AVERAGE EXPOSURE LIMIT Helium is defined as a simple asphyxiant. Oxygen levels should be maintained at greater than 18 molar percent at normal atmospheric pressure which is equivalent to a partial pressure of 135 mm Hg (ACGIH, 1985-86).

**SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE**

Effects of exposure to high concentrations so as to displace the oxygen in the air necessary for life are headache, dizziness, labored breathing and eventual unconsciousness. Breathing mixtures of helium with adequate oxygen to support life modifies the voice sound so that it is higher "pitched."

**TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES**

Helium is nontoxic but the liberation of a large amount in a confined area could displace the amount of oxygen in air necessary to support life.

**RECOMMENDED FIRST AID TREATMENT**

PROMPT MEDICAL ATTENTION IS MANDATORY IN ALL CASES OF OVEREXPOSURE TO HELIUM. RESCUE PERSONNEL SHOULD BE EQUIPPED WITH SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS.

Inhalation: Conscious persons should be assisted to an uncontaminated area and inhale fresh air. Quick removal from the contaminated area is most important. Unconscious persons should be moved to an uncontaminated area, given mouth-to-mouth resuscitation and supplemental oxygen. Further treatment should be symptomatic and supportive.

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## HAZARDOUS MIXTURES OF OTHER LIQUIDS, SOLIDS, OR GASES

None

## PHYSICAL DATA

|  |  |
|--|--|
| BOILING POINT<br>-452.1°F (-268.9°C)   | LIQUID DENSITY AT BOILING POINT<br>7.8 lb/ft <sup>3</sup> (125 kg/m <sup>3</sup> ) |
| VAPOR PRESSURE @ 70°F (21.1°C) Above the critical temp. of -450.3°F (-268°C) | GAS DENSITY AT 70°F, 1 atm<br>.0103 lb/ft <sup>3</sup> (.1650 kg/m <sup>3</sup> )  |
| SOLUBILITY IN WATER<br>Negligible  | FREEZING POINT<br>λ point = -456.5°F (-271.3°C)                                    |
| EVAPORATION RATE<br>N/A  | SPECIFIC GRAVITY (AIR=1) = 70°F (21.1°C) = .138                                    |
| APPEARANCE AND ODOR<br>Colorless, odorless gas                               |  |

## FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

|  |                                  |   |  |
|--|----------------------------------|---|--|
| FLASH POINT (Method used)<br>N/A               | AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE<br>N/A | FLAMMABLE LIMITS % BY VOLUME<br>LEL N/A UEL N/A |  |
| EXTINGUISHING MEDIA<br>Nonflammable, inert gas |                                  | ELECTRICAL CLASSIFICATION<br>Nonhazardous       |  |
| SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES<br><br>N/A    |                                  |   |  |
| UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS<br><br>N/A  |                                  |   |  |

## REACTIVITY DATA

|  |   |                     |
|--|---|---------------------|
| STABILITY<br>Unstable                        |   | CONDITIONS TO AVOID |
| Stable                                       | X | N/A                 |
| INCOMPATIBILITY (Materials to avoid)<br>None |   |                     |
| HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS<br>None     |   |                     |
| HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION                     |   | CONDITIONS TO AVOID |
| May Occur                                    |   | N/A                 |
| Will Not Occur                               | X |                     |

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|   |                   |         |
|---|-------------------|---------|
| RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (Specify type) Positive pressure air line with mask or self-contained breathing apparatus should be available for emergency use. |                   |         |
| VENTILATION   | LOCAL EXHAUST     | SPECIAL |
| See Local Exhaust on last page.   | See last page.    | N/A     |
|   | MECHANICAL (Gen.) | OTHER   |
|   | N/A               | N/A     |
| PROTECTIVE GLOVES<br>Any material   |                   |         |
| EYE PROTECTION<br>Safety goggles or glasses   |                   |         |
| OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT<br>Safety shoes  |                   |         |

## SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS\*

## SPECIAL LABELING INFORMATION

DOT Shipping Name: Helium or Helium, Compressed      DOT Hazard Class: Nonflammable gas  
 DOT Shipping Label: Nonflammable gas                      I.D. No.: UN 1046

## SPECIAL HANDLING RECOMMENDATIONS

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## SPECIAL PACKAGING RECOMMENDATIONS

Helium is noncorrosive and may be used with any common structural material.

## OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS OR PRECAUTIONS

Compressed gas cylinders should not be refilled except by qualified producers of compressed gases. Shipment of a compressed gas cylinder which has not been filled by the owner or with his (written) consent is a violation of Federal Law (49CFR).

LOCAL EXHAUST: (Continued)

To prevent accumulation of high concentrations so as to reduce the oxygen level in the air to less than 18 molar percent.



PRODUCT: Helium

DOT CLASS: Non-flammable gas

REQUIRED LABELS: Non-flammable gas

U.N. NO.: 1046

SYNONYMS:

AUTOIGNITION TEMP: N/A °F VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1): 0.137

FLAMMABILITY LIMITS: Upper N/A Lower N/A

HAZARD ID: Health N/A Flammability N/A Reactivity N/A

#### FIRE OR EXPLOSION

May burn but does not ignite readily. Container may explode in heat of fire.

#### HEALTH HAZARDS

Vapors may cause dizziness or suffocation. Contact with liquid may cause frostbite. Fire may produce irritating or poisonous gases.

#### EMERGENCY ACTION

Keep unnecessary people away. Stay upwind, keep out of low areas. Isolate area and deny entry. Wear self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing. For EMERGENCY assistance call CHEMTREC (800) 424 9300.

**FIRE** For small fires, use dry chemical or CO<sub>2</sub>. For large fires, use water spray, fog or foam. Move container from fire area if you can do it without risk. Stay away from ends of tanks. Cool containers that are exposed to flames with water from the sides until well after fire is out.

**SPILL OR LEAK** Stop leak if you can do it without risk.

**FIRST AID** Move victim to fresh air, call emergency medical care. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult give oxygen.

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SUBSTANCE IDENTIFICATION

CAS-NUMBER 56-23-5

SUBSTANCE: \*\*CARBON TETRACHLORIDE\*\*

TRADE NAMES/SYNONYMS: TETRACHLOROMETHANE; PERCHLOROMETHANE; CARBON CHLORIDE;  
TETRACHLOROCARBON; METHANE TETRACHLORIDE; CARBON TET; FREON 10; HALON 104;  
BENZINOFORM; UN 1846

CHEMICAL FAMILY:  
HALOGEN COMPOUND, ALIPHATIC

MOLECULAR FORMULA: C-CL4 MOL WT: 154

CERCLA RATINGS (SCALE 0-3): HEALTH=3 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=0 PERSISTENCE=3

COMPONENTS AND CONTAMINANTS

PERCENT: 100 COMPONENT: CARBON TETRACHLORIDE

OTHER CONTAMINANTS: NONE

EXPOSURE LIMITS:

10 PPM OSHA TWA; 25 PPM OSHA CEILING; 200 PPM OSHA 5 MINUTE/4 HR PEAK;

2 PPM NIOSH RECOMMENDED 1 HR CEILING;

5 PPM (30 MG/M3) ACGIH TWA (SKIN); 20 PPM (125 MG/M3) ACGIH STEL (SKIN) (NOTICE OF INTENDED CHANGE 1984-1985)

PHYSICAL DATA

DESCRIPTION: COLORLESS LIQUID WITH AN ETHEREAL ODOR.

BOILING POINT: 172 F (78 C) MELTING POINT: -9 F (-23 C)

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.6 VAPOR PRESSURE: 91.3 MMHG @ 20 C

**\*\*CARBON TETRACHLORIDE\*\***

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EVAPORATION RATE: (BU AC=1) .078 TTE SOLUBILITY IN WATER: 0.08%

SOLVENT SOLUBILITY: ALC, ETHER, CHLOROFORM, BZ, PETR NAPHTHA, CS2

ODOR THRESHOLD: 50 PPM VAPOR DENSITY: 5.3

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**FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA**

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD:  
NEGLECTIBLE FIRE AND NEGLECTIBLE EXPLOSION HAZARD UNDER NORMAL CONDITIONS.

FLASH POINT: NONFLAMMABLE

**FIREFIGHTING MEDIA:**

DRY CHEMICAL, CARBON DIOXIDE, WATER SPRAY OR FOAM  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FOR LARGER FIRES, USE WATER SPRAY, FOG OR ALCOHOL FOAM  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

**FIREFIGHTING:**

MOVE CONTAINERS FROM FIRE AREA IF POSSIBLE. FIGHT FIRE FROM MAXIMUM DISTANCE.  
DIKE FIRE CONTROL WATER FOR LATER DISPOSAL. DO NOT SCATTER MATERIAL (1984  
EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

USE SUITABLE AGENT FOR SURROUNDING FIRE. AVOID BREATHING VAPORS OR DUSTS,  
KEEP UPWIND (BUREAU OF EXPLOSIVES, EMERGENCY HANDLING OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS  
IN SURFACE TRANSPORTATION, 1981).

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**TOXICITY**

1000 PPM INHALATION-HUMAN LCLO; 20 PPM INHALATION-HUMAN TCLO;  
43 MG/KG ORAL-HUMAN LDLO; 2800 MG/KG ORAL-RAT LD50; 5070 MG/KG SKIN-RAT LD50;  
MUTAGENIC DATA (RTECS); REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS DATA (RTECS); TUMORIGENIC DATA  
(RTECS); SUSPECT HUMAN CARCINOGEN (IARC, NTP). CARBON TETRACHLORIDE  
IS A SUSPECT LEUKOMOGEN AND A SUSPECT LIVER AND RESPIRATORY CARCINOGEN.

CARBON TETRACHLORIDE IS A SKIN IRRITANT, CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM DEPRESSANT,  
NEPHROTOXIN, AND HEPATOTOXIN. CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL INCREASES THE SYSTEMIC  
TOXICITY. PERSONS WITH A HISTORY OF LIVER, KIDNEY, CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM  
DISEASE, OR ALCOHOLISM MAY BE AT AN INCREASED RISK FROM EXPOSURE.

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**HEALTH EFFECTS AND FIRST AID**

**INHALATION:**

NARCOTIC/NEPHROTOXIC/HEPATOTOXIC. 300 PPM IMMEDIATELY DANGEROUS TO LIFE/HEALTH  
ACUTE EXPOSURE- ABOVE 10 PPM, NASAL AND RESPIRATORY IRRITATION MAY OCCUR.

POISONING CAUSES IMMEDIATE NAUSEA, VOMITING, & ABDOMINAL PAIN, WITH  
CYANOSIS, HEADACHE, DIZZINESS, CONFUSION, DROWSINESS, DYSPNEA,  
HYPOTENSION, AND POSSIBLY CONVULSIONS HAVE. VISUAL DISTURBANCES,  
SUCH AS BLURRED VISION, OPTIC NEURITIS, TOXIC AMBLYOPIA, AND OPTIC  
OPTIC ATROPHY ARE POSSIBLE. INTOXICATION MAY PROGRESS TO CENTRAL  
NERVOUS SYSTEM DEPRESSION, WITH UNCONSCIOUSNESS, COMA, AND POSSIBLY  
DEATH FROM RESPIRATORY ARREST, CIRCULATORY COLLAPSE, OR VENTRICULAR  
FIBRILLATION. IF DEATH IS NOT IMMEDIATE, AN ASYMPTOMATIC PERIOD, OR



\*\*CARBON TETRACHLORIDE\*\*  
THE ABOVE SYMPTOMS, MAY BE FOLLOWED IN 1-2 DAYS. BY LIVER, OR MORE  
LIKELY, KIDNEY DAMAGE, WITH OLIGURIA, ALBUMINURIA, PROTEINURIA,  
UREMIA, ANURIA, EDEMA AND WEIGHT GAIN. ANOREXIA, JAUNDICE, AND  
HEPATOMEGALY INDICATE LIVER DAMAGE. SPASMS OF THE HANDS AND FEET  
OCCUR RARELY.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- FATIGUE, ANOREXIA, WEIGHT LOSS, VOMITING, ABDOMINAL PAIN,  
ANEMIA, WEAKNESS, NAUSEA, BLURRED VISION, AMNESIA,  
PARESTHESIAS, TREMORS, AND LOSS OF PERIPHERAL COLOR  
VISION INDICATE CHRONIC POISONING. CASE REPORTS HAVE  
DESCRIBED LIVER TUMORS ASSOCIATED WITH CIRRHOSIS IN  
CARBON TETRACHLORIDE-EXPOSED HUMANS. A MORTALITY STUDY  
OF LAUNDRY AND DRY-CLEANING WORKERS EXPOSED TO A VARIETY  
OF SOLVENTS SUGGESTS AN EXCESS OF RESPIRATORY CANCERS,  
LIVER TUMORS, AND LEUKEMIA. SEE HUMAN CARCINOGENIC AND  
ANIMAL MUTAGENIC, REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS, AND TUMORIGENIC  
REFERENCES IN TOXICITY SECTION.

FIRST AID- REMOVE FROM EXPOSURE. GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION UNTIL  
CONSCIOUSNESS RETURNS. (DREISBACH, HANDBOOK OF POISONING, 11TH  
ED.) DO NOT GIVE EPINEPHRINE (ADRENALIN) OR OTHER STIMULANTS.  
GIVE OXYGEN IF THE SKIN IS BLUE OR IF THERE IS DIFFICULTY WITH  
BREATHING.

SKIN CONTACT:  
IRRITANT/NARCOTIC/NEPHROTOXIC/HEPATOTOXIC. MAY CAUSE MILD IRRITATION. MAY BE  
ACUTE EXPOSURE- CONTACT WITH THE LIQUID MAY CAUSE MILD IRRITATION. POISONING,  
ABSORBED, CAUSING SYMPTOMS AS IN ACUTE INHALATION POISONING,  
WITH COMA, OLIGURIA, AND JAUNDICE.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED CONTACT DEFEATS THE SKIN, CAUSING  
IRRITATION AND DERMATITIS. ABSORPTION MAY PRODUCE SYSTEMIC  
EFFECTS AS IN CHRONIC INHALATION POISONING. SEE HUMAN  
CARCINOGENIC AND ANIMAL MUTAGENIC, REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS AND  
TUMORIGENIC DATA REFERENCES IN TOXICITY SECTION.

FIRST AID- REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES IMMEDIATELY. WASH AFFECTED  
AREA WITH SOAP OR MILD DETERGENT AND LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER UNTIL NO  
EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES). GET MEDICAL  
ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

EYE CONTACT:  
ACUTE EXPOSURE- CONTACT WITH LIQUID OR VAPOR MAY CAUSE PAIN AND MINOR  
CONJUNCTIVAL INJURY.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- EXPOSURE HAS CAUSED DIMINISHED VISUAL ACUITY AND COLOR  
VISION LOSS FOLLOWING INHALATION OR SKIN ABSORPTION. VAPOR  
IS STRONGLY SUSPECTED OF CAUSING RETROBULAR NEURITIS,  
OPTIC NEURITIS AND OPTIC ATROPHY.

FIRST AID- WASH EYES IMMEDIATELY WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER, OCCASIONALLY  
LIFTING UPPER AND LOWER LIDS, UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS  
(APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES). GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

---INGESTION:  
-NARCOTIC/NEPHROTOXIC/HEPATOTOXIC.  
ACUTE EXPOSURE- TOXIC AMOUNTS WILL RESULT IN SYMPTOMS AS IN ACUTE INHALATION

\*\*CARBON TETRACHLORIDE\*\* PAGE 04 OF 06  
POISONING, WITH HEMATEMESIS AND DIARRHEA. THE ESTIMATED  
FATAL DOSE IN HEALTHY ADULTS IS 5-10 ML, BUT AS LITTLE AS 1  
ML MAY BE FATAL IN CHILDREN OR IN ADULTS WITH PREVIOUS  
MEDICAL PROBLEM.

FIRST AID- GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY. IF MEDICAL ATTENTION IS NOT  
IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE, AND IF VICTIM IS CONSCIOUS, ATTEMPT TO INDUCE  
VOMITTING BY TOUCHING FINGER TO BACK OF THROAT. GIVE OXYGEN IF THE SKIN IS  
BLUE OR IF THERE IS DIFFICULTY IN BREATHING.

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#### REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY:  
STABLE UNDER NORMAL TEMPERATURES AND PRESSURES.

#### INCOMPATIBILITIES:

TRISILANE: EXPLODES IN AIR ON CONTACT.  
TETRAETHYLENEPENTAMINE: EXPLOSION.  
TETRAETHYLENE + OXYGEN: EXPLOSION.  
TRIETHYLDIALUMINUM SESQUICHLORIDES: DARKENED AND EXPLODED AT ROOM TEMPERATURE.  
ETHYLENE: EXPLOSION WHEN UNDER HIGH PRESSURE IN PRESENCE OF ORGANIC PEROXIDE  
CATALYSTS.

#### BURNING WAX: EXPLOSION.

ALUMINUM POWDER: EXPLOSIVE ON HEATING OR IMPACT.  
CALCIUM HYPOCHLORITE: EXPLOSION ON HEATING.

DINITROGEN TETRAOXIDE: EXPLOSION BY SHOCK OR HEATING TO 150 C.

CHLORINE TRIFLUORIDE: PROBABLE EXPLOSION.

DISILANE: PROBABLE EXPLOSION.

CALCIUM DISILICATE: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION ON IMPACT.

METALS: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION ON HEATING OR IMPACT.

ALLYL ALCOHOL: FORMS EXPLOSIVE DI- AND TRICHLOROBUTYLENE EPOXIDES.

DECABORANE: FORMS IMPACT-SENSITIVE EXPLOSIVE COMPOUND.

POTASSIUM AND ITS ALLOYS: FORMS EXPLOSIVE MIXTURE.

LIQUID OXYGEN: VIOLENT REACTION OR MILD EXPLOSION WHEN IGNITED.

PLUTONIUM: IGNITION OR POSSIBLE EXPLOSION.

POTASSIUM TERT-BUTOXIDE: IGNITION.

BROMINE TRIFLUORIDE: IGNITION.

SILVER PERCHLORATE: REACTS IN PRESENCE OF HYDROGEN CHLORIDE TO PRODUCE

TRICHLOROMETHYL PERCHLORATE WHICH DETONATES AT 40 C.

FINELY DIVIDED BARIUM: VIOLENT REACTION OR POSSIBLE EXPLOSION.

ETHYLENE WITH BENZOYL PEROXIDE: EXPLOSION.

BURNING DIBORANE: VIOLENT EXPLOSION.

LITHIUM: VIOLENT EXPLOSION.

FLUORINE: VIOLENT REACTION OR POSSIBLE EXPLOSION.

MAGNESIUM: EXPLOSION.

SODIUM: VIOLENT REACTION WHEN HOT OR EXPLOSION ON IMPACT.

SODIUM-POTASSIUM ALLOY: VIOLENT EXPLOSION ON LIGHT IMPACT.

BURNING URANIUM: EXPLOSION.

ZIRCONIUM: EXPLOSION.

CALCIUM DISILICATE: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION BY IMPACT.

DIMETHYL FORMAMIDE: VIOLENT REACTION IN PRESENCE OF IRON OR AT TEMPERATURES

ABOVE 65 C.

BERYLLIUM POWDER: FLASH OR SPARK ON HEAVY IMPACT.

HEXACHLOROCYCLOHEXANE: POSSIBLE VIOLENT REACTION IN PRESENCE OF IRON.

DIMETHYLACETAMIDE: EXOTHERMIC REACTION WITH INCREASE IN PRESSURE OR VIGOROUS

REACTION IN PRESENCE OF IRON.

DECOMPOSITION:

LIGHTED CIGARETTES OR FLAMES OR CONTACT WITH HOT COMMON METALS CAUSES DECOMPOSITION AND THE EMISSION OF TOXIC PHOSGENE, TOXIC AND REACTIVE CHLORINE, AND HYDROGEN CHLORIDE.

POLYMERIZATION:

DOES NOT POLYMERIZE.

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CONDITIONS TO AVOID

CONTAINERS MAY EXPLODE IN HEAT OF FIRE.

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SPILL AND LEAK PROCEDURES

SOIL SPILL:

DIG HOLDING AREA SUCH AS LAGOON, POND OR PIT FOR CONTAINMENT.

DIKE FLOW OF SPILLED MATERIAL USING SOIL OR SANDBAGS OR FOAMED BARRIERS SUCH AS POLYURETHANE OR CONCRETE.

USE CEMENT POWDER OR FLY ASH TO ABSORB LIQUID MASS.

IMMOBILIZE SPILL WITH UNIVERSAL GELLING AGENT.

AIR SPILL:

KNOCK DOWN VAPORS WITH WATER SPRAY. KEEP UPWIND.

WATER USED TO KNOCK DOWN VAPORS MAY BECOME CORROSIVE OR TOXIC AND SHOULD BE CONTAINED PROPERLY FOR LATER DISPOSAL.

MAY EMIT TOXIC PHOSGENE UNDER FIRE CONDITIONS.

WATER SPILL:

TRAP SPILLED MATERIAL AT BOTTOM IN DEEP WATER POCKETS, EXCAVATED HOLDING AREAS OR WITHIN SAND BAG BARRIERS.

USE SUCTION HOSES TO REMOVE TRAPPED SPILL MATERIAL.

USE ACTIVATED CARBON TO ABSORB SPILLED SUBSTANCE THAT IS DISSOLVED.

USE DREDGES OR LIFTS TO EXTRACT IMMOBILIZED MASSES OF POLLUTION AND PRECIPITATES.

OCCUPATIONAL SPILL:

DO NOT TOUCH SPILLED MATERIAL. STOP LEAK IF YOU CAN DO IT WITHOUT RISK. USE WATER SPRAY TO REDUCE VAPORS. FOR SMALL SPILLS, TAKE UP WITH SAND OR OTHER ABSORBENT MATERIAL AND PLACE INTO CONTAINERS FOR LATER DISPOSAL. FOR SMALL DRY SPILLS, WITH A CLEAN SHOVEL PLACE MATERIAL INTO CLEAN, DRY CONTAINERS AND CLOSE TIGHT. MOVE CONTAINERS FROM SPILL AREA. FOR LARGER SPILLS, DIKE FAR AHEAD OF SPILL FOR LATER DISPOSAL. KEEP UNNECESSARY PEOPLE AWAY. ISOLATE HAZARDOUS AREA AND DENY ENTRY. VENTILATE CLOSED SPACES BEFORE ENTERING.

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PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

VENTILATION:

PROVIDE PROCESS ENCLOSURE OR LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION TO MEET PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMITS.

RESPIRATOR:

100 PPM- SUPPLIED-AIR RESPIRATOR.  
SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS.

300 PPM- SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE OPERATED IN PRESSURE-DEMAND OR OTHER POSITIVE-PRESSURE MODE OR USE EQUIVALENT RESPIRATOR.

ESCAPE- SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS.

FIREFIGHTING- SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE OPERATED IN PRESSURE-DEMAND OR OTHER POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE.

CLOTHING:

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT TO PREVENT REPEATED OR PROLONGED SKIN CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

GLOVES:

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE GLOVES TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

EYE PROTECTION:

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR SPLASH-PROOF OR DUST-RESISTANT SAFETY GOGGLES AND A FACESHIELD TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

WHERE THERE IS ANY POSSIBILITY THAT AN EMPLOYEE'S EYES MAY BE EXPOSED TO THIS SUBSTANCE, THE EMPLOYER SHALL PROVIDE AN EYE-WASH FOUNTAIN WITHIN THE IMMEDIATE WORK AREA FOR EMERGENCY USE.

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SUBSTANCE IDENTIFICATION

CAS-NUMBER 7647-01-0

SUBSTANCE: \*\*HYDROCHLORIC ACID, 36-37%\*\*

TRADE NAMES/SYNONYMS: CHLOROHYDRIC ACID; HYDROCHLORIDE; MURIATIC ACID;  
SPIRITS OF SALT; UN 1789

CHEMICAL FAMILY:  
INORGANIC ACID

MOLECULAR FORMULA: H-CL MOL WT: 36.46

CERCLA RATINGS (SCALE 0-3): HEALTH=3 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=0 PERSISTENCE=0  
NFPA RATINGS (SCALE 0-4): HEALTH=3 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=0

COMPONENTS AND CONTAMINANTS

PERCENT: 36-37 COMPONENT: HYDROGEN CHLORIDE  
CAS 7647-01-0

PERCENT: 63-64 COMPONENT: WATER

OTHER CONTAMINANTS: NONE

EXPOSURE LIMITS:  
5 PPM OSHA CEILING; 5 PPM ACGIH CEILING

PHYSICAL DATA

DESCRIPTION: COLORLESS OR SLIGHTLY YELLOW FUMING LIQUID WITH A PUNGENT ODOR

BOILING POINT: 384 F (196 C) SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.2

VAPOR PRESSURE: NOT AVAILABLE PH: 1.1 (0.1 N)

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FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA  
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FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD:  
NEGLIGIBLE FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD WHEN EXPOSED TO HEAT OR FLAME.

FLASH POINT: NON-COMBUSTIBLE

FIREFIGHTING MEDIA:  
DRY CHEMICAL, CARBON DIOXIDE, WATER SPRAY OR FOAM  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FOR LARGER FIRES, USE WATER SPRAY, FOG OR ALCOHOL FOAM  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FIREFIGHTING:  
MOVE CONTAINERS FROM FIRE AREA IF POSSIBLE. COOL CONTAINERS EXPOSED TO FLAMES  
WITH WATER FROM SIDE UNTIL WELL AFTER FIRE IS OUT (1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE  
GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

EXTINGUISH USING AGENTS SUITABLE FOR TYPE OF FIRE. USE FLOODING AMOUNTS OF  
WATER AS FOG. DO NOT SPRAY WATER DIRECTLY ON HYDROCHLORIC ACID. COOL  
CONTAINERS WITH FLOODING AMOUNTS OF WATER, APPLY FROM AS FAR A DISTANCE AS  
POSSIBLE. AVOID BREATHING CORROSIVE VAPORS, KEEP UPWIND. (BUREAU OF  
EXPLOSIVES, EMERGENCY HANDLING OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS IN SURFACE  
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TOXICITY  
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1300 PPM/30 MINUTES INHALATION-HUMAN LCLO: 81 MG/KG UNKNOWN-MAN LDLO:  
3124 PPM/1 HOUR INHALATION-RAT LC50; 2124 PPM/30 MINUTES INHALATION-MOUSE  
LC50; 900 MG/KG ORAL-RABBIT LD50; 40 MG/KG INTRAPERITONEAL-MOUSE LD50;  
MUTAGENIC DATA (RTECS); CARCINOGEN STATUS: NONE.  
HYDROCHLORIC ACID IS A SEVERE EYE, MUCOUS MEMBRANE, AND SKIN IRRITANT.

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HEALTH EFFECTS AND FIRST AID  
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INHALATION:

CORROSIVE. 100 PPM IMMEDIATELY DANGEROUS TO LIFE OR HEALTH.  
ACUTE EXPOSURE- EXPOSURE TO GAS OR FUMES MAY CAUSE IMMEDIATE COUGHING,  
BURNING OF THE THROAT OR NOSE, CHOKING, DIZZINESS, WEAKNESS AND DIFFICULTY  
SWALLOWING. EXPOSURE ABOVE 5 PPM MAY BE FOLLOWED BY INFLAMMATION AND  
OCCASIONAL ULCERATION OF THE NOSE, THROAT OR LARYNX; LARYNGITIS, BRONCHI-  
TIS, PNEUMONIA, HEADACHE, PALPITATIONS, DENTAL EROSION, OR NASAL SEPTUM  
PERFORATION. CONCENTRATIONS ABOVE 50 PPM MAY BE FOLLOWED BY BLEEDING OF  
THE NOSE AND GUMS. FOLLOWING A 6-8 HOUR LATENCY PERIOD, LARYNGEAL SPASM OR  
PULMONARY EDEMA WITH TIGHTNESS IN THE CHEST, AIR HUNGER, DIZZINESS, FROTHY  
SPUTUM AND CYANOSIS MAY OCCUR. SHORTNESS OF BREATH AND EXPECTORATION OF  
BLOOD MAY OCCUR FOR SEVERAL WEEKS FOLLOWING A SINGLE EXPOSURE. PYLORIC  
OBSTRUCTION MAY DEVELOP. SEVERE EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE CIRCULATORY SHOCK,  
ASPHYXIAION, GASTRIC HEMORRHAGE, INFECTION, CYANOSIS AND DEATH.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- MAY CAUSE EROSION OF TEETH FOLLOWED BY JAW NECROSIS,

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BRONCHIAL IRRITATION WITH CHRONIC COUGH, FREQUENT ATTACKS OF BRONCHIAL PNEUMONIA, SKIN TENDERNESS, GASTROINTESTINAL DISTURBANCES OR MUCOUS MEMBRANE IRRITATION WHICH MAY MIMIC VIRAL INFECTION OF THE UPPER RESPIRATORY TRACT CHARACTERIZED BY FEVER AND MUSCLE TENDERNESS. SEE ANIMAL MUTAGENIC REFERENCES IN TOXICITY SECTION.

FIRST AID: REMOVE FROM EXPOSURE AREA TO FRESH AIR IMMEDIATELY. IF BREATHING HAS STOPPED, GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. MAINTAIN AIRWAY AND BLOOD PRESSURE AND ADMINISTER OXYGEN IF AVAILABLE. KEEP AFFECTED PERSON WARM AND AT REST. ADMINISTRATION OF OXYGEN SHOULD BE PERFORMED BY QUALIFIED PERSONNEL. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

#### SKIN CONTACT:

ACUTE EXPOSURE- DIRECT CONTACT MAY CAUSE SEVERE PAIN AND BROWNISH OR YELLOW STAINS. BURNS MAY BE DEEP WITH SHARP EDGES AND HEAL SLOWLY WITH SCAR TISSUE FORMATION.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE TO LOW LEVELS MAY CAUSE DERMATITIS.

FIRST AID- REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES, DIRECTING A STREAM OF WATER UNDER CLOTHING WHILE IT IS BEING REMOVED. WASH AFFECTED AREA WITH SOAP OR MILD DETERGENT AND LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES). IN CASE OF BURNS, COVER AREA WITH STERILE, DRY DRESSING. BANDAGE SECURELY, BUT NOT TOO TIGHTLY. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

#### EYE CONTACT:

ACUTE EXPOSURE- VAPORS WHICH ESCAPE FROM THE AQUEOUS SOLUTION ARE IMMEDIATELY IRRITATING TO THE EYES. THE SUBSTANCE IS SO IRRITATING THAT HUMANS HAVE RARELY SUBMITTED TO DAMAGING CONCENTRATIONS. HOWEVER, IN ANIMALS, 1350 PPM IN AIR FOR 1.5 HOURS HAS CAUSED CLOUDING OF THE CORNEA AND 300 PPM FOR 6 HOURS HAS CAUSED SLIGHT EROSION OF THE CORNEAL EPITHELIUM. CONTACT WITH THE LIQUID MAY CAUSE CONJUNCTIVAL FLUID BUILD-UP (EDEMA) AND CORNEAL DESTRUCTION WITH PAIN, LACRIMATION, BLURRED VISION AND PHOTSENSITIZATION. SEVERITY OF DAMAGE DEPENDS ON THE QUANTITY, CONCENTRATION AND DURATION OF CONTACT. IN HUMANS THE EFFECTS HAVE RANGED FROM REDNESS AND IRRITATION OF THE CONJUNCTIVA TO TOTAL CORNEAL OPAFICATION AND LOSS OF THE EYE. RARELY, LENS OPACITY MAY OCCUR. MOST COMMONLY, A DROP OF THE LIQUID SPLASHED IN THE EYE AND IMMEDIATELY WASHED OUT WITH WATER MAY CAUSE WHITE COAGULATION OF THE CORNEAL AND CONJUNCTIVAL EPITHELIUM. CORNEAL SLOUGHING MAY OCCUR WITHIN A FEW DAYS AND THE EYE RETURNS TO NORMAL. 2% AQUEOUS SOLUTION OF HYDROCHLORIC ACID HAS BEEN APPLIED TO HUMAN EYES FOR A FEW SECONDS WITHOUT SIGNIFICANT INJURY. THE LIQUID IS INJURIOUS TO RABBIT CORNEAS AT PH LESS THAN 3. SOLUTIONS OF 0.25 N TO 1 N HAVE CAUSED SCARRING OF RABBIT CORNEAS.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- PROLONGED VAPOR CONTACT MAY CAUSE CONJUNCTIVITIS. 100 PPM FOR SIX HOURS DAILY FOR FIFTY DAYS CAUSED SLIGHT UNREST AND EYE IRRITATION BUT NO INJURY IN RABBITS. THE LIQUID MAY CAUSE CORNEAL DAMAGE AND SCARRING.

FIRST AID- WASH EYES IMMEDIATELY WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER, OCCASIONALLY LIFTING UPPER AND LOWER LIDS, UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (AT LEAST 15-20 MINUTES). IN CASE OF BURNS, APPLY STERILE BANDAGES LOOSELY

\*\*HYDROCHLORIC ACID, 36-37%\*\*  
WITHOUT MEDICATION. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

INGESTION:  
CORROSIVE.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- MAY CAUSE BURNS OF MOUTH, ESOPHAGUS, AND STOMACH WITH CONSEQUENT PAIN, NAUSEA, SALIVATION, VOMITING, CHILLS, SHOCK AND THIRST. MAY CAUSE ULCERATION OF ALL MEMBRANES AND TISSUES WHICH THE ACID CONTACTS. ASPHYXIA OR NEPHRITIS MAY OCCUR. AFTER INITIAL RECOVERY, FEVER MAY INDICATE PERFORATION OF THE ESOPHAGUS OR STOMACH. IN SEVERE CASES, CIRCULATORY COLLAPSE MAY OCCUR WHICH, IF NOT CORRECTED, MAY LEAD TO RENAL, LIVER OR HEART FAILURE.

FIRST AID- IF VICTIM IS CONSCIOUS AND NOT CONVULSIVE GIVE HIM LARGE QUANTITIES OF WATER IMMEDIATELY TO DILUTE THE ACID. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. IF RESPIRATION IS DEPRESSED, GIVE OXYGEN. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY:  
STABLE UNDER NORMAL TEMPERATURES AND PRESSURES. FORMS DENSE, CHOKING FUMES ON EXPOSURE TO AIR.

INCOMPATIBILITIES:

ALCOHOLIC HYDROGEN CYANIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
TETRASELENIUM TETRANITRIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
SODIUM: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
POTASSIUM PERMANGANATE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
SULFURIC ACID: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
PERCHLORIC ACID: VIOLENT REACTION.  
ACETIC ANHYDRIDE, 2-AMINOETHANOL, 28% AMMONIA, CHLOROSULFONIC ACID, ETHYLENE-DIAMINE, ETHYLENEIMINE, OLEUM, PROPIOLACTONE (BETA-), PROPYLENE OXIDE, SODIUM HYDROXIDE OR VINYL ACETATE: INCREASED TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE IN A CLOSED CONTAINER.  
FLUORINE: IGNITES.  
CESIUM CARBIDE: IGNITES.  
CESIUM ACETYLIDE: IGNITES.  
RUBIDIUM CARBIDE: IGNITES.  
RUBIDIUM ACETYLIDE: IGNITES.  
URANIUM DICARBIDE: IGNITES.  
OXYGEN + PLATINUM: IGNITES.  
LITHIUM SILICIDE: INCANDESCENCE.  
ALUMINUM: VIGOROUS EXOTHERMIC REACTION.  
CALCIUM PHOSPHIDE: VIGOROUS EXOTHERMIC REACTION.  
URANIUM PHOSPHIDE: PRODUCES EXPLOSIVE OR FLAMMABLE PHOSPHINE.  
SILVER PERCHLORATE + CARBON TETRACHLORIDE: PRODUCES EXPLOSIVE OR FLAMMABLE TRICHLOROMETHYL PERCHLORATE.  
METALS: PRODUCES EXPLOSIVE OR FLAMMABLE HYDROGEN GAS.  
MAGNESIUM BORIDE: PRODUCES EXPLOSIVE OR FLAMMABLE PRODUCT.  
DOWICIL 100: DECOMPOSES DOWICIL 100.  
WATER: EXOTHERMIC REACTION GENERATING FUMES OF HYDROGEN CHLORIDE.

DECOMPOSITION:

HEATING RELEASES INCREASING AMOUNTS OF HYDROGEN CHLORIDE.



**POLYMERIZATION:  
NOT KNOWN TO OCCUR.**

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CONDITIONS TO AVOID**

**CONTACT WITH OR STORAGE WITH INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS LISTED ABOVE AND EXCESSIVE HEAT.**

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SPILL AND LEAK PROCEDURES**

**SOIL SPILL:  
DIG HOLDING AREA SUCH AS LAGOON, POND OR PIT FOR CONTAINMENT.**

**DIKE FLOW OF SPILLED MATERIAL USING SOIL OR SANDBAGS OR FOAMED BARRIERS SUCH AS POLYURETHANE OR CONCRETE.**

**USE CEMENT POWDER OR FLY ASH TO ABSORB LIQUID MASS.**

**NEUTRALIZE SPILL WITH SLAKED LIME, SODIUM BICARBONATE OR CRUSHED LIMESTONE.**

**AIR SPILL:  
KNOCK DOWN VAPORS WITH WATER SPRAY. KEEP UPWIND.**

**WATER USED TO KNOCK DOWN VAPORS MAY BECOME CORROSIVE OR TOXIC AND SHOULD BE CONTAINED PROPERLY FOR LATER DISPOSAL.**

**WATER SPILL:  
NEUTRALIZE WITH AGRICULTURAL LIME, SLAKED LIME, CRUSHED LIMESTONE, OR SODIUM BICARBONATE.**

**OCCUPATIONAL SPILL:  
BE SURE TO WEAR PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT BEFORE ENTERING SPILL AREA OR APPROACHING SPILL. SEE PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT SECTION. HYDROCHLORIC ACID IN CONTACT WITH SOME INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS MAY RELEASE FLAMMABLE AND/OR EXPLOSIVE REACTION PRODUCTS. SEE INFORMATION IN REACTIVITY SECTION.**

**DO NOT TOUCH SPILLED MATERIAL. STOP LEAK IF YOU CAN DO IT WITHOUT RISK. FOR SMALL SPILLS, TAKE UP WITH SAND OR OTHER ABSORBENT MATERIAL AND PLACE INTO CONTAINERS FOR LATER DISPOSAL. FOR SMALL DRY SPILLS, WITH CLEAN SHOVEL PLACE MATERIAL INTO CLEAN, DRY CONTAINER AND COVER. MOVE CONTAINERS FROM SPILL AREA. FOR LARGER SPILLS, DIKE AS CLOSE TO THE SOURCE OF THE SPILL AS IS PRACTICAL AND EFFECTIVE, IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE AREA CONTAMINATED AND THE AMOUNT OF MATERIAL FOR LATER DISPOSAL. KEEP UNNECESSARY PEOPLE AWAY. ISOLATE HAZARD AREA AND DENY ENTRY.**

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PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**

**VENTILATION:  
PROVIDE LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION OR GENERAL DILUTION VENTILATION TO MEET PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMITS.**

**—RESPIRATOR:  
—EXPOSURE LIMIT TO 50 PPM(HCL)—CHEMICAL CARTRIDGE RESPIRATOR WITH AN ACID GAS CARTRIDGE.**

**\*\*HYDROCHLORIC ACID, 36-37%\*\***  
SUPPLIED-AIR RESPIRATOR.  
SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS.

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100 PPM (HCL)- SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE  
OPERATED IN PRESSURE-DEMAND OR OTHER POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE,  
OR USE EQUIVILANT RESPIRATOR.  
ESCAPE- GAS MASK WITH AN ACID GAS FILTER.  
SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS.

FIREFIGHTING- SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE  
OPERATED IN PRESSURE-DEMAND OR OTHER POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE.

**CLOTHING:**

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT TO PREVENT  
ANY POSSIBILITY OF SKIN CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

**GLOVES:**

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE GLOVES TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS  
SUBSTANCE.

**EYE PROTECTION:**

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR SPLASH-PROOF OR DUST-PROOF SAFETY GOGGLES TO PREVENT THIS  
SUBSTANCE FROM CONTACTING THE EYES. DO NOT WEAR CONTACT LENSES WHEN WORKING  
WITH CHEMICALS.

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## SECTION I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: HYDROCHLORIC ACID  
FORMULA: HCL  
FORMULA WT: 36.46  
CAS NO.: 07647-01-0  
NICS# / RTECS NO.: MW4025000  
COMMON SYNONYMS: MURIATIC ACID; CHLOROHYDRIC ACID; HYDROCHLORIDE  
PRODUCT CODES: 9543, 9536, 9535, 9367, 9534, 9544, 9529, 9542, 4800, 9549, 9530, 9548, 9540, 9547, 9546, 9537

## PRECAUTIONARY LABELLING

BAKER SAF-T-DATA(TM) SYSTEM

HEALTH - 3 (POISON)  
FLAMMABILITY - 0  
REACTIVITY - 2  
CONTACT - 3 (CORROSIVE)

## LABORATORY PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

GOGGLES & SHIELD; LAB COAT & APRON; VENT HOOD; PROPER GLOVES

## PRECAUTIONARY LABEL STATEMENTS

POISON DANGER  
CAUSES SEVERE BURNS  
MAY BE FATAL IF SWALLOWED

DO NOT GET IN EYES, ON SKIN, ON CLOTHING.  
AVOID BREATHING VAPOR. KEEP IN TIGHTLY CLOSED CONTAINER. USE WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING.

## SECTION II - HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS

| COMPONENT | % | CAS NO. |
|-----------|---|---------|
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|                   |       |           |
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| HYDROCHLORIC ACID | 35-40 | 7647-01-0 |
|-------------------|-------|-----------|

## SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA

|                           |                               |                                     |     |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----|
| BOILING POINT:            | 110 C ( 230 F)                | VAPOR PRESSURE(MM HG):              | 212 |
| MELTING POINT:            | N/A                           | VAPOR DENSITY(AIR=1):               | 1.3 |
| SPECIFIC GRAVITY: (H2O=1) | 1.19                          | EVAPORATION RATE: (BUTYL ACETATE=1) | N/A |
| SOLUBILITY(H2O):          | COMPLETE (IN ALL PROPORTIONS) | % VOLATILES BY VOLUME:              | 100 |

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SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA (CONTINUED)

APPEARANCE & COLOR: CLEAR, COLORLESS OR SLIGHTLY YELLOW FUMING LIQUID.

SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT: N/A

NFPA 704-R RATING: 3-0-0

FIRE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

USE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA APPROPRIATE FOR SURROUNDING FIRE.

SPECIAL FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES

FIREFIGHTERS SHOULD WEAR PROPER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND SELF-CONTAINED  
(POSITIVE PRESSURE IF AVAILABLE) BREATHING APPARATUS WITH FULL FACEPIECE.  
MOVE EXPOSED CONTAINERS FROM FIRE AREA, IF IT CAN BE DONE WITHOUT RISK.  
USE WATER TO KEEP FIRE EXPOSED CONTAINERS COOL; DO NOT GET WATER INSIDE  
CONTAINERS,

TOXIC GASES PRODUCED

HYDROGEN CHLORIDE

SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

TOXICITY:

LC50 (INHL-RAT-LH) (PPM)

- 3124

LD50 (IPR-MOUSE) (MG/KG)

- 40

LC50 (ORAL-RABBIT) (MG/KG)

- 909

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE

LIQUID MAY CAUSE SEVERE BURNS TO SKIN AND EYES.  
INHALATION OF VAPORS MAY CAUSE SEVERE IRRITATION OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM  
INHALATION OF VAPORS MAY CAUSE COUGHING AND DIFFICULT BREATHING.

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

CALL A PHYSICIAN.

IF SWALLOWED, DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING; IF CONSCIOUS, GIVE WATER, MILK, OR  
MILK OF MAGNESIA.

IN CASE OF CONTACT, IMMEDIATELY FLUSH EYES OR SKIN WITH PLENTY OF WATER FOR  
AT LEAST 15 MINUTES WHILE REMOVING CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES.  
WASH CLOTHING BEFORE RE-USE.

SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: STABLE

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: HEAT, MOISTURE

INCOMPATIBLES:

MOST COMMON METALS, WATER, STRONG BASES, AMINES,  
CARBONATES, METAL OXIDES

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SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA (CONTINUED)

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: HYDROGEN CHLORIDE

SECTION VII - SPILL AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN THE EVENT OF A SPILL OR DISCHARGE

WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS AND FULL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING. STOP  
LEAK IF YOU CAN DO SO WITHOUT RISK. VENTILATE AREA. NEUTRALIZE SPILL WITH  
SODA ASH OR LIME. WITH CLEAN SHOVEL, CAREFULLY PLACE MATERIAL INTO CLEAN,  
DRY CONTAINER AND COVER; REMOVE FROM AREA. FLUSH SPILL AREA WITH WATER.

J. T. BAKER NEUTRASORB(R) OR NEUTRASOL(R) "LOW NA+" ACID NEUTRALIZERS  
ARE RECOMMENDED FOR SPILLS OF THIS PRODUCT.

DISPOSAL PROCEDURE

DISPOSE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL  
ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS.

EPA HAZARDOUS WASTE NUMBER:

0002 (CORROSIVE WASTE)

SECTION VIII - PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

VENTILATION:

USE ADEQUATE GENERAL OR LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION  
TO KEEP VAPOR AND MIST LEVELS AS LOW AS POSSIBLE.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:

NONE REQUIRED WHERE ADEQUATE VENTILATION  
CONDITIONS EXIST. IF AIRBORNE CONCENTRATION IS  
HIGH, A CHEMICAL CARTRIDGE RESPIRATOR WITH ACID  
CARTRIDGE IS RECOMMENDED. IF CONCENTRATION  
EXCEEDS CAPACITY OF CARTRIDGE RESPIRATOR, A SELF-  
CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS IS ADVISED.

EYE/SKIN PROTECTION:

SAFETY GOGGLES AND FACE SHIELD, UNIFORM,  
PROTECTIVE SUIT, ACID-RESISTANT GLOVES ARE  
RECOMMENDED.

SECTION IX - STORAGE AND HANDLING PRECAUTIONS

SAF-T-DATA(TM) STORAGE COLOR CODE:

WHITE

SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED. STORE IN CORROSION-PROOF AREA.  
DO NOT STORE NEAR OXIDIZING MATERIALS.

SECTION X - TRANSPORTATION DATA AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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SECTION X - TRANSPORTATION DATA AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

|                     |                             |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| HAZARD CLASS        | CORROSIVE MATERIAL (LIQUID) |
| UN/NA               | UN1739                      |
| LABELS              | CORROSIVE                   |
| REPORTABLE QUANTITY | 5000 LBS.                   |

INTERNATIONAL (I.M.C.)

|                      |                             |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| PROPER SHIPPING NAME | HYDROCHLORIC ACID, SOLUTION |
| HAZARD CLASS         | 8                           |
| UN/NA                | UN1739                      |
| LABELS               | CORROSIVE                   |

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N/A = NOT APPLICABLE OR NOT AVAILABLE

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SUBSTANCE IDENTIFICATION

SUBSTANCE: \*\*LEAD REFERENCE STANDARD SOLUTION (1000 PPM PB)\*\*

TRADE NAMES/SYNONYMS: SO-L-21

MOLECULAR FORMULA: MIXTURE

CERCLA RATINGS (SCALE 0-3): HEALTH=3 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=0 PERSISTENCE=0

COMPONENTS AND CONTAMINANTS

PERCENT: 0.14 COMPONENT: LEAD NITRATE  
CAS 10099-74-8

PERCENT: 0.7 COMPONENT: NITRIC ACID  
CAS 7697-37-2

PERCENT: >99 COMPONENT: WATER

EXPOSURE LIMITS:

0.05 MG(PB)/M3 OSHA TWA; 0.15 MG(PB)/M3 ACGIH TWA;  
0.10 MG(PB)/M3 NIOSH RECOMMENDED TWA

PHYSICAL DATA

DESCRIPTION: COLORLESS LIQUID BOILING POINT: 212 F (100 C)

MELTING POINT: 32 F (0 C) SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.0

EVAPORATION RATE: (ETHER=1) >1 (TTE) PH: 1.0

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: COMPLETE

Lead Reference  
Standard Solution

C01350

FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD:  
NEGLECTIBLE FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD WHEN EXPOSED TO HEAT OR FLAME.

FLASH POINT: WILL NOT BURN

FIREFIGHTING MEDIA:  
DRY CHEMICAL, CARBON DIOXIDE, WATER SPRAY OR FOAM  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FOR LARGER FIRES, USE WATER SPRAY, FOG OR ALCOHOL FOAM  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FIREFIGHTING:  
MOVE CONTAINERS FROM FIRE AREA IF POSSIBLE. COOL CONTAINERS EXPOSED TO FLAMES  
WITH WATER FROM SIDE UNTIL WELL AFTER FIRE IS OUT (1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE  
GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

EXTINGUISH USING AGENTS INDICATED; WEAR RESPIRATORY PROTECTION. IF LARGE  
AMOUNTS OF COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS ARE INVOLVED, USE WATER SPRAY OR FOG IN  
FLOODING AMOUNTS. USE WATER SPRAY TO ABSORB CORROSIVE VAPORS. COOL CONTAINERS  
WITH FLOODING AMOUNTS OF WATER FROM AS FAR A DISTANCE AS POSSIBLE. AVOID  
BREATHING CORROSIVE VAPORS; KEEP UPWIND (BUREAU OF EXPLOSIVES, EMERGENCY  
HANDLING OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS IN SURFACE TRANSPORTATION, 1981).

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TOXICITY  
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LEAD NITRATE: 500 MG/KG ORAL-GUINEA PIG LDLO; 432 MG/KG INTRAPERITONEAL-RAT  
LDLO; TERATOGENIC DATA (RTEC); MUTAGENIC DATA (RTEC); INDEFINITE ANIMAL  
CARCINOGEN (IARC).

INORGANIC LEAD COMPOUNDS ARE PERIPHERAL NEUROTOXINS. EXPOSURE MAY IRRITATE  
THE EYES, MUCOUS MEMBRANES, AND SKIN. POISONING AFFECTS THE GASTROINTESTINAL  
TRACT, BLOOD, AND KIDNEYS.

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HEALTH EFFECTS AND FIRST AID  
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INHALATION:  
NEUROTOXIN.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- LEAD NITRATE MIST PARTICULATE CONCENTRATIONS CAUSES  
DELAYED SYMPTOMS OF FATIGUE, HEADACHE, ACHING BONES AND MUSCLES, GASTRO-  
INTESTINAL DISTURBANCES (PARTICULARLY CONSTIPATION), ABDOMINAL PAINS,  
DECREASED APPETITE, AND PULMONARY EDEMA. IF SUFFICIENT LEAD IS RETAINED  
AFTER A SINGLE EXPOSURE, A SYNDROME IDENTICAL WITH CHRONIC INTOXICATION  
MAY DEVELOP WITHIN WEEKS OR MONTHS.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- PROLONGED OR REPEATED INHALATION OF LEAD NITRATE MAY CAUSE  
LEAD TO BUILD UP IN THE BODY AND A POINT MAY BE REACHED WHERE SYMPTOMS  
AND DISABILITY OCCUR. SYMPTOMS MAY INCLUDE FACIAL PALLORED, A "LEAD LINE" ON  
THE GUMS, MILD JAUNDICE, ANEMIA, DECREASED HAND-GRIP STRENGTH, LEAD CHOLIC  
WITH INTENSE PERIODIC ABDOMINAL CRAMPING, SEVERE CONSTIPATION, NAUSEA,  
VOMITING AND PERIPHERAL NEUROPATHY. THE PERIPHERAL NERVE AFFECTED MOST  
FREQUENTLY IS THE RADIAL NERVE, WHICH CAUSES "WRIST DROP". RECOVERY IS  
SLOW AND NOT ALWAYS COMPLETE. THE CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM CAN BE AFFECTED,  
RESULTING IN SEVERE HEADACHE, CONVULSIONS, COMA, DELIRIUM AND POSSIBLY



DEATH. THE KIDNEYS MAY ALSO BE DAMAGED AFTER LONG PERIODS OF EXPOSURE, WITH LOSS OF FUNCTION AND PROGRESSIVE AZOTEMIA. SEE MUTAGENIC DATA AND ANIMAL REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS DATA REFERENCES IN TOXICITY SECTION.

FIRST AID- REMOVE FROM EXPOSURE AREA TO FRESH AIR IMMEDIATELY. IF BREATHING HAS STOPPED, PERFORM ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. KEEP AFFECTED PERSON WARM AND AT REST. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

SKIN CONTACT:  
ACUTE EXPOSURE- CORROSIVE TO SKIN BECAUSE OF NITRIC ACID CONTENT (SEE PH).

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- BECAUSE OF THE NITRIC ACID CONTENT, PROLONGED OR REPEATED EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE DERMATITIS (SEE PH).

FIRST AID- REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES IMMEDIATELY. WASH AFFECTED AREA WITH SOAP OR MILD DETERGENT AND LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES). GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

EYE CONTACT:  
ACUTE EXPOSURE- BECAUSE OF NITRIC ACID CONTENT, SOLUTION IS CORROSIVE AND CAUSES BURNS (SEE PH).

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- PROLONGED EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE CONJUNCTIVITIS.

FIRST AID- WASH EYES IMMEDIATELY WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER, OCCASIONALLY LIFTING THE UPPER AND LOWER LIDS, UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (APPROXIMATELY 10-20 MINUTES). GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

#### INGESTION:

CORROSIVE/NEUROTOXIN.  
ACUTE EXPOSURE- LEAD NITRATE CAUSES METALLIC TASTE, INTENSE THIRST, HEADACHE, FLUSHING OF THE SKIN, DIZZINESS, VOMITING, GASTROINTESTINAL DISTURBANCES, MARKED HYPOTENSION, CYANOSIS, CONVULSIONS, COMA, RESPIRATORY PARALYSIS AND DEATH. NITRIC ACID ADDS TO THE CORROSIVE QUALITY AS APPLIES TO GASTROINTESTINAL SYSTEM (SEE PH).

FIRST AID- IF VICTIM IS CONSCIOUS, GIVE HIM LARGE QUANTITIES OF WATER IMMEDIATELY TO DILUTE THE ACID. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. GIVE PATIENT 1 OUNCE (30 ML) OF MILK OF MAGNESIA. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

#### REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY:  
STABLE UNDER NORMAL PRESSURES UP TO THE BOILING POINT, 100 C.

INCOMPATIBILITIES:  
EASILY OXIDIZABLE AND WATER-REACTIVE MATERIALS, EXAMPLES FOLLOW:

LEAD NITRATE:  
REDUCING AGENTS: VIOLENT REACTION.  
COMBUSTIBLE SUBSTANCES: VIOLENT REACTION.  
ACTIVE METALS: VIOLENT REACTION.  
-POTASSIUM: VIOLENT REACTION.  
-SODIUM: VIOLENT REACTION.  
POTASSIUM ACETATE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.

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AMMONIUM THIOCYANATE: EXPLOSIVE COMPOUNDS MAY BE FORMED.  
LEAD HYPOPHOSPHITE: EXPLOSIVE COMPOUNDS MAY BE FORMED.

DECOMPOSITION:

NITRIC ACID BOILS AWAY MIXED WITH WATER AT 120.5 C.  
LEAD NITRATE DECOMPOSES AT ABOUT 210 C FORMING TOXIC FUMES OF NITROUS OXIDES  
AND LEAD.

POLYMERIZATION:

WILL NOT OCCUR.

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CONDITIONS TO AVOID

AVOID HEATING TO THE BOILING POINT, 120.5 C, WHERE EMISSION OF TOXIC ACID  
VAPOR OCCURS. AVOID CONTACT WITH OR STORAGE WITH INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS,  
INCLUDING THOSE LISTED IN THE REACTIVITY SECTION.

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SPILL AND LEAK PROCEDURES

OCCUPATIONAL SPILL:

WEAR PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. COVER WITH SODA ASH. SCOOP UP AND PLACE  
IN SUITABLE CONTAINERS, CLOSE TIGHTLY AND LABEL CORROSIVE. KEEP OUT OF SEWERS  
AND WATER SOURCES.

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PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

VENTILATION:

PROVIDE LOCAL EXHAUST OR GENERAL DILUTION VENTILATION SYSTEM TO MEET  
PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMIT REQUIREMENTS. EQUIPMENT MUST BE RESISTANT TO  
CORROSION BY ACID.

RESPIRATOR:

NONE REQUIRED FOR THE PROPOSED USE OF THIS CHEMICAL.

CLOTHING:

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING WHEREVER THERE IS  
REASONABLE PROBABILITY OF SKIN CONTACT WITH THIS SOLUTION.

GLOVES:

PROTECTIVE GLOVES ARE REQUIRED AS NECESSARY TO PREVENT ANY POSSIBILITY OF  
CONTACT WITH SOLUTION. PREFERRED MATERIALS: POLYETHYLENE, VITON OR SARANEX.

EYE PROTECTION:

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR SPLASH-PROOF SAFETY GOGGLES TO PREVENT ANY POSSIBILITY OF  
—CONTACT WITH THIS SOLUTION. DO NOT WEAR CONTACT LENSES WHEN WORKING WITH  
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SUBSTANCE IDENTIFICATION

SUBSTANCE: \*\*ETHYL ALCOHOL, DENATURED\*\*

TRADE NAMES/SYNONYMS: ETHANOL, DENATURED; GRAIN ALCOHOL, DENATURED; ETHYL HYDROXIDE, DENATURED; ETHYL HYDRATE, DENATURED; ALGRAIN, DENATURED; ANHYDROL, DENATURED; METHYL CARBINOL, DENATURED; COLOGNE SPIRITS, DENATURED; FERMENTATION ALCOHOL, DENATURED;

CHEMICAL FAMILY:  
HYDROXYL, ALIPHATIC

CERCLA RATINGS (SCALE 0-3): HEALTH=1 FIRE=3 REACTIVITY=0 PERSISTENCE=0

COMPONENTS AND CONTAMINANTS

|               |  |
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| PERCENT: 88.0 | COMPONENT: ETHYL ALCOHOL<br>CAS# 64-17-5           |
| PERCENT: 4.6  | COMPONENT: METHYL ALCOHOL<br>CAS# 67-56-1          |
| PERCENT: 0.9  | COMPONENT: ETHYL ACETATE<br>CAS# 141-78-6          |
| PERCENT: 0.9  | COMPONENT: METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE<br>CAS# 108-10-1 |
| PERCENT: 0.9  | COMPONENT: AVIATION GAS<br>CAS# NOT ASSIGNED       |
| PERCENT: 4.6  | COMPONENT: WATER                                   |

EXPOSURE LIMITS:  
ETHYL ALCOHOL:  
1000 PPM OSHA TWA

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Methyl  
Alcohol  
Denatured

TOXICITY

ETHYL ALCOHOL: 20 PPM EYE-HUMAN IRRITATION; 400 MG OPEN SKIN-RABBIT IRRITATION; 500 MG/24 HOUR SKIN-RABBIT SEVERE IRRITATION; 79 MG EYE-RABBIT IRRITATION; 100 MG/4 SECONDS EYE-RABBIT (RINSED) MODERATE IRRITATION. 2000 MG/KG ORAL-CHILD LDLO; 50 MG/KG ORAL-MAN TDLO; 1430 UG/KG ORAL-MAN TDLO; 256 GM/KG/12 WEEKS ORAL-WOMAN TDLO; 20,000 PPM/10 HOURS INHALATION-RAT LC50; 7060 MG/KG ORAL-RAT LD50; 20 GM/KG SKIN-RABBIT LDLO; 7800 MG/KG ORAL-MUSE LD50; MUTAGENIC DATA (RTECS); REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS DATA (RTECS); TUMORGENIC DATA (RTECS); CARCINOGEN STATUS: NONE. AN EYE AND RESPIRATORY IRRITANT AND CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM DEPRESSANT. METHYL ALCOHOL: 5 PPM EYE-HUMAN IRRITATION; 500 MG/24 HOUR SKIN-RABBIT MODERATE IRRITATION; 40 MG EYE-RABBIT MODERATE IRRITATION; 340 MG/KG ORAL-HUMAN LDLO; 13 GM/KG ORAL-MAN LDLO; 86,000 MG/M3 INHALATION-HUMAN TCLO; 5628 MG/KG ORAL-RAT LD50; 64,000 PPM/4 HOURS INHALATION-RAT LC50; 20 GM/KG SKIN RABBIT LD50; MUTAGENIC DATA (RTECS); REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS DATA (RTECS); CARCINOGENIC STATUS: NONE.

HEALTH EFFECTS AND FIRST AID

INHALATION:

CARCINOGEN/NARCOTIC/IRRITANT.

25,000 PPM METHYL ALCOHOL IS IMMEDIATELY DANGEROUS TO LIFE OR HEALTH. ACUTE EXPOSURE- ETHYL ALCOHOL MAY CAUSE NASAL IRRITATION, COUGH, AND AT HIGH LEVELS, A FEELING OF SUFFOCATION. CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM DEPRESSION MAY OCCUR.

METHYL ALCOHOL MAY CAUSE SYMPTOMS OF INEBRIATION. WITHIN 12-18 HOURS, HEADACHE, ANOREXIA, WEAKNESS, FATIGUE, LEG CRAMPS, VERTIGO AND RESTLESSNESS OCCUR, FOLLOWED BY NAUSEA, VOMITING, DIARRHEA, DIZZINESS, NARCOSIS, AND OTHER SIGNS OF CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM DEPRESSION. SEVERE ABDOMINAL, BACK, AND LEG PAINS, MUSCULAR INCOORDINATION, SWEATING, TRACHEITIS, AND BRONCHITIS MAY ENSUE. APATHY OR DELIRIUM MAY PROGRESS TO COMA. EXCITEMENT, MANIA, AND CONVULSIONS OCCUR RARELY. BLURRED OR DIMMED VISION HAS OCCURED, FOLLOWED BY TRANSIENT OR PERMANENT BLINDNESS, WITH OPTIC NEURITIS, EYE PAIN AND ATROPHY, CONCENTRIC VISUAL FIELDS, AND PHOTOPHOBIA. ACIDOSIS MAY RESULT IN RAPID, SHALLOW RESPIRATION, CYANOSIS, COMA, AND HYPOTENSION. MILD TACHYCARDIA, CARDIAC DEPRESSION, AND PERIPHERAL NEURITIS ARE POSSIBLE, AS WELL AS LIVER AND KIDNEY DAMAGE AND CEREBRAL AND PULMONARY EDEMA. DEATH IS POSSIBLE FORM RESPIRATORY FAILURE OR CIRCULATORY COLLAPSE. PROLONGED ASTHENIA AND PARTIAL OR COMPLETE LOSS OF VISION IN 2-6 DAYS, AND PERMANENT RENAL DYSFUNCTION MAY FOLLOW NON-FATAL INTOXICATION.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE TO ETHYL ALCOHOL MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY IRRITATION, HEADACHE, AND SYMPTOMS OF CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM DEPRESSION, SUCH AS LACK OF CONCENTRATION AND SOMNOLENCE.

METHYL ALCOHOL MAY CAUSE VISUAL IMPAIRMENTS AS DESCRIBED IN ACUTE INHALATION.

SEE ANIMAL MUTAGENIC, REPRODUCTIVE EFFECTS AND TUMORIGENIC DATA REFERENCES IN THE TOXICITY SECTION.

FIRST AID- REMOVE FROM EXPOSURE AREA TO FRESH AIR IMMEDIATELY. IF BREATHING HAS STOPPED, PERFORM ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. KEEP AFFECTED PERSON WARM AND AT REST. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

SKIN CONTACT:  
IRRITANT/NARCOTIC.

1000 PPM ACGIH TWA

METHYL ALCOHOL:

200 PPM OSHA TWA

200 PPM ACGIH TWA (SKIN); 250 PPM ACGIH STEL (SKIN)

200 PPM NIOSH RECOMMENDED TWA; 800 PPM NIOSH RECOMMENDED 15 MINUTE CEILING

PHYSICAL DATA

DESCRIPTION: CLEAR, COLORLESS LIQUID      BOILING POINT: 172 F (78 C)

MELTING POINT: -172 F (-114 C)      SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 0.8

VAPOR PRESSURE: 40 MMHG @ 20 C      EVAPORATION RATE: 1.4 (TTE)

SOLUBILITY IN WATER: COMPLETE      SOLVENT SOLUBILITY: BENZENE, ETHER, ACETONE

ODOR THRESHOLD: 5-10 PPM      VAPOR DENSITY: 1.6

FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD:

DANGEROUS FIRE/NEGLIGIBLE EXPLOSION HAZARD WHEN EXPOSED TO HEAT OR FLAME.

VAPORS ARE HEAVIER THAN AIR AND MAY TRAVEL A CONSIDERABLE DISTANCE TO A SOURCE OF IGNITION AND FLASH BACK.

VAPOR-AIR MIXTURES ARE EXPLOSIVE ABOVE FLASH POINT.

FLASH POINT: 57 F (14 C) (CC)      UPPER EXPLOSION LIMIT: 19%

LOWER EXPLOSION LIMIT: 4.3%      AUTOIGNITION TEMP.: NON AVAILABLE

FLAMMABILITY CLASS(OSHA): IB

FIREFIGHTING MEDIA:

DRY CHEMICAL, CARBON DIOXIDE, WATER SPRAY OR ALCOHOL FOAM  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FOR LARGE FIRES, USE DRY CHEMICAL, CARBON DIOXIDE, OR ALCOHOL FOAM  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FIREFIGHTING:

MOVE CONTAINER FROM FIRE AREA IF POSSIBLE. COOL FIRE-EXPOSED CONTAINERS WITH WATER FROM SIDE UNTIL WELL AFTER FIRE IS OUT. FOR MASSIVE FIRE IN STORAGE AREA, USE UNMANNED HOSE HOLDER OR MONITOR NOZZLES, ELSE WITHDRAW FROM AREA AND LET FIRE BURN. WITHDRAW IMMEDIATELY IN CASE OF RISING SOUND FROM VENTING SAFETY DEVICE OR ANY DISCOLORATION OF STORAGE TANK DUE TO FIRE (1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

EXTINGUISH ONLY IF FLOW CAN BE STOPPED. USE FLOODING AMOUNTS OF WATER AS FOG; SOLID STREAMS MAY BE INEFFECTIVE. COOL CONTAINERS WITH FLOODING AMOUNTS OF WATER FROM AS FAR A DISTANCE AS POSSIBLE. AVOID BREATHING VAPORS; KEEP UPWIND (BUREAU OF EXPLOSIVES, EMERGENCY HANDLING OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS IN SURFACE TRANSPORTATION, 1981).

BY TRANSIENT OR PERMANENT BLINDNESS, WITH OPTIC NEURITIS, EYE PAIN AND ATROPHY, CONCENTRIC VISUAL FIELDS, AND PHOTOPHOBIA MAY OCCUR. CARDIAC DEPRESSION, PERIPHERAL NEURITIS, LIVER AND KIDNEY DAMAGE AND CEREBRAL AND PULMONARY EDEMA ARE POSSIBLE. DEATH IS POSSIBLE FROM RESPIRATORY FAILURE OR CIRCULATORY COLLAPSE. PROLONGED ASTHENIA AND PARTIAL OR COMPLETE LOSS OF VISION IN 2-6 DAYS, AND PERMANENT RENAL DYSFUNCTION MAY FOLLOW NON-FATAL INTOXICATION.

FIRST AID- IF VICTIM IS CONSCIOUS AND NOT CONVULSING, IMMEDIATELY GIVE 2 TO 4 GLASSES OF WATER. INDUCE VOMITING BY TOUCHING FINGER TO BACK OF THROAT. THEN GIVE 1 OUNCE (30 ML) OF MILK OF MAGNESIA.

REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY:  
GENERALLY STABLE UNDER NORMAL CONDITIONS. HIGHLY VOLATILE. CONTACT WITH STRONG OXIDIZERS AND INCOMPATIBLES MAY CAUSE FIRES AND EXPLOSIONS. THE SUBSTANCE REACTS WITH ALKALI METALS TO LIBERATE FLAMMABLE HYDROGEN GAS.

INCOMPATIBILITIES:

VIOLENT REACTION WITH NITRIC ACID, ACETYL CHLORIDE, AND ACETYL BROMIDE. IGNITION MAY OCCUR IN REACTIONS WITH BROMINE PENTAFLUORIDE, CHROMIC ANHYDRIDE, CHROMYL CHLORIDE, PERMANGANIC ACID, PLATINUM, POTASSIUM DIOXIDE, POTASSIUM TERT-BUTOXIDE, AND HYDROGEN PEROXIDE/SULFURIC ACID MIXTURES. EXPLOSIONS MAY OCCUR FROM REACTIONS WITH ALUMINUM SESQUIBROMIDE ETHYLATE, BROMINE PENTAFLUORIDE, CALCIUM HYPOCHLORITE, HYDROGEN PEROXIDE-SULFURIC ACID MIXTURES, IODINE-MERCURIC OXIDE MIXTURES, MANGANESE PERCHLORATE-2,2-DIMETHOXY PROPANE MIXTURES, SOME PERCHORATES RECRYSTALLIZED FROM ETHANOL (SUCH AS SILVER PERCHLORATE AND URANYL PERCHLORATE), PERCHLORIC ACID, PERMANGANATES TREATED WITH SULFURIC ACID, PERMANGANIC ACID, POTASSIUM SUPEROXIDE, SODIUM HYDRAZIDE, AND SULFURIC ACID-SODIUM DICROMATE MIXTURES. EXPLOSIVE COMPOUNDS MAY BE FORMED IN REACTIONS WITH AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE-SILVER(I) OXIDE MIXTURES, HYDROGEN PEROXIDE, IODINE-PHOSPHORUS, SILVER/NITRIC ACID, AND SILVER NITRATE. CHROMYL CHLORIDE CAUSES ETHANOL AND AMMONIA TO IGNITE. CONTACT WITH STRONG OXIDIZERS MAY CAUSE FIRES OR EXPLOSIONS. REACTIONS WITH ALKALI METALS LIBERATE FLAMMABLE HYDROGEN GAS. (ETHYL ALCOHOL)

VIOLENT REACTIONS WILL OCCUR WHEN METHYL ALCOHOL REACTS WITH CALCIUM CARBIDE, MAGNESIUM, AND CYANURIC CHLORIDE. METHANOL AND BERYLLIUM HYDRIDE REACT INTENSELY AT 200 C. REACTIONS WITH BROMINE ARE INTENSELY EXOTHERMIC. THERE IS A CHANCE FOR POSSIBLE IGNITION WHEN METHANOL REACTS WITH NICKEL IN THE PRESENCE OF NICKEL CATALYST. REACTIONS WITH CHLOROFORM/SODIUM HYDROXIDE MIXTURES IS EXPLOSIVE AND REACTIONS WITH CHROMIC ANHYDRIDE HAVE EXPLOSIVE CAPABILITIES. CONTACT WITH STRONG OXIDANTS MAY CAUSE FIRE AND EXPLOSION. (METHYL ALCOHOL)

DECOMPOSITION:  
COMBUSTION MAY RELEASE TOXIC OXIDES OF CARBON.

POLYMERIZATION:  
WILL NOT OCCUR.

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CONDITIONS TO AVOID

MAY BE IGNITED BY HEAT, SPARKS OR FLAMES. CONTAINER MAY EXPLODE IN HEAT OF

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FIRE. VAPOR EXPLOSION AND POISON HAZARD INDOORS, OUTDOORS OR IN SEWERS. RUN-  
OFF TO SEWER MAY CREATE FIRE OR EXPLOSION HAZARD.

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SPILL AND LEAK PROCEDURES

OCCUPATIONAL SPILL:  
SHUT OFF IGNITION SOURCES. DO NOT TOUCH SPILLED MATERIAL. STOP LEAK IF YOU  
CAN DO IT WITHOUT RISK. USE WATER SPRAY TO REDUCE VAPORS. FOR SMALL SPILLS,  
TAKE UP WITH SAND OR OTHER ABSORBENT MATERIAL AND PLACE INTO CONTAINERS FOR  
LATER DISPOSAL. FOR LARGER SPILLS, DIKE FAR AHEAD OF SPILL FOR LATER  
DISPOSAL. NO SMOKING, FLAMES OR FLARES IN HAZARD AREA! KEEP UNNECESSARY PEOPLE  
AWAY; ISOLATE HAZARD AREA AND DENY ENTRY.

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PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

VENTILATION:  
PROVIDE LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION OR GENERAL DILUTION VENTILATION TO MEET  
PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMITS.

RESPIRATOR:  
33,000 PPM (LOWER EXPLOSIVE LIMIT)- SUPPLIED-AIR RESPIRATOR WITH SEPARATE  
AIR SUPPLY.

FIREFIGHTING- SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE  
OPERATED IN PRESSURE-DEMAND OR OTHER POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE.  
OPERATIONS WITH A RESPIRATOR ARE NOT RECOMMENDED ABOVE THE LOWER EXPLOSIVE  
LIMIT (3.3%).

CLOTHING:  
EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT TO PREVENT  
REPEATED OR PROLONGED SKIN CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

GLOVES:  
EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE GLOVES TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS  
SUBSTANCE.

EYE PROTECTION:  
EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR SPLASH-PROOF OR DUST-PROOF SAFETY GOOGLES TO PREVENT THIS  
LIQUID FROM CONTACTING THE EYE. DO NOT WEAR CONTACT LENSES WHEN WORKING WITH  
CHEMICALS.

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ACUTE EXPOSURE- ETHYL ALCOHOL CAUSES NO IMMEDIATE IRRITATING EFFECTS. METHYL ALCOHOL MAY DEFAIT THE SKIN AND CAUSE MILD DERMATITIS. IT IS READILY ABSORBED THROUGH THE SKIN AND MAY CAUSE SYMPTOMS AS WITH ACUTE INHALATION, PRINCIPALLY ACIDOSIS, CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM DEPRESSION AND OPTIC NEURITIS.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE TO ETHYL ALCOHOL MAY CAUSE DERMATITIS.  
METHYL ALCOHOL MAY CAUSE ECZEMA, REDNESS, AND SCALING.

FIRST AID- REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES IMMEDIATELY. WASH AFFECTED AREA WITH SOAP OR MILD DETERGENT AND LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES). GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

EYE CONTACT:  
CORROSIVE.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- ETHYL ALCOHOL VAPORS AT 5,000-10,000 PPM MAY CAUSE TEMPORARY IRRITATION. DIRECT CONTACT MAY CAUSE IMMEDIATE BURNING, LACRIMATION, LACRIMATION, TEMPORARY INJURY OF THE CORNEA AND HYPEREMIA OF THE CONJUNCTIVA.

METHYL ALCOHOL MAY CAUSE SUPERFICIAL CORNEAL LESIONS.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE TO ETHYL ALCOHOL MAY CAUSE CONJUNCTIVITIS.

BLURRED OR DIMMED VISION FOLLOWED BY TRANSIENT OR PERMANENT BLINDNESS, WITH OPTIC NEURITIS, EYE PAIN AND ATROPHY, CONCENTRIC VISUAL FIELDS, AND PHOTOPHOBIA MAY OCCUR FROM INHALATION, SKIN ABSORPTION, OR INGESTION OF METHYL ALCOHOL.

FIRST AID- WASH EYES IMMEDIATELY WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER, OCCASIONALLY LIFTING UPPER AND LOWER LIDS, UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (AT LEAST 15-20 MINUTES). IN CASE OF BURNS, APPLY STERILE BANDAGES LOOSELY WITHOUT MEDICATION. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

INGESTION:  
NARCOTIC.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- ETHYL ALCOHOL MAY CAUSE EMOTIONAL LABILITY AND DECREASED INHIBITIONS, WITH EXHILARATION, BOASTFULNESS, TALKATIVENESS, REMORSE, AND BELLIGERENCY. MODERATE INTOXICATION LEADS TO IMPAIRED MUSCULAR COORDINATION, SLOWED REACTIONS, SLURRED SPEECH, ATAXIA, AND SLIGHT VISUAL DISTURBANCE. SEVERE POISONING RESULTS IN SENSORY DISTURBANCE OR LOSS, WITH VERTIGO AND DIPLOPIA, FLUSHING OF THE FACE, RAPID PULSE, SWEATING, NAUSEA AND VOMITING, AND INVOLUNTARY DEFECATION AND URINATION. CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM DEPRESSION IS INDICATED BY DIZZINESS, DROWSINESS, STUPOR, AND OTHER SIGNS OF NARCOSIS, PROGRESSING TO COMA, WITH IMPAIRED OR ABSENT TENDON REFLEXES. CONVULSIONS MAY OCCUR FROM HYPOGLYCEMIA. THE PUPILS MAY BE NORMAL OR DILATED. SHOCK MAY FOLLOW, WITH HYPOTENSION, TACHYCARDIA, COLD PALE SKIN, AND HYPOTHERMIA. RESPIRATION MAY BE SLOW. DEATH MAY OCCUR FROM RESPIRATORY OR CIRCULATORY FAILURE OR FROM ASPIRATIONPNEUMONITIS. RECOVERY FROM POISONING MAY BE ACCOMPANIED BY HEADACHE, GASTRITIS, INFECTION, OR PSYCHOSES WITH UNCONTROLLABLE FEAR, INSOMNIA, TREMORS, AND RESTLESSNESS, FOLLOWED BY VISUAL, AUDITORY, OR GUSTATORY HALLUCINATIONS. EXAGGERATED REFLEXES, TACHYCARDIA, AND CONVULSIONS ARE POSSIBLE.  
METHYL ALCOHOL MAY CAUSE SYMPTOMS AS WITH ACUTE INHALATION FROM ACIDOSIS, AND CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM DEPRESSION. BLURRED OR DIMMED VISION, FOLLOWED

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## SECTION 1

## NAME &amp; PRODUCT

CHEMICAL NAME: NITRIC ACID

CATALOG NUMBER: NX0409

TRADE NAME: AQUAFORTIS, HYDROGEN NITRATE  
CAS #: 7597-37-2 CHEMICAL FAMILY: INORGANIC ACID  
FORMULA: HNO3

MOLECULAR  
WEIGHT  
63.01

## SECTION 2

## PHYSICAL DATA

|                         |         |   |                                    |                         |
|-------------------------|---------|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| BOILING POINT 750 MM HG | 89C     | 1 | SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H2O=1)           | 1.5027                  |
| MELTING POINT           | -41.59C | 1 | SOLUBILITY IN H2O, % BY WT @ 20 C  | MISCIBLE                |
| VAPOR PRESS. @ 20C      | MM HG   | 1 | EVAPORATION RATE (BUTYL ACETATE=1) | UNKNOWN                 |
| VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1)   | UNKNOWN | 1 | APPEARANCE AND ODOR                | CLEAR, COLORLESS LIQUID |
| % VOLATILES BY VOLUME   | UNKNOWN | 1 | WITH ACRID ODOR                    |                         |

## SECTION 3

## FIRE &amp; EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT/TEST METHOD: NONFLAMMABLE FLAMMABLE LIMITS: LEL% UNKNOWN UEL% UNKNOWN

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:

WATER SPRAY  
WEAR FULL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT

SPECIAL HAZARDS:

WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:  
MAY INTENSIFY A FIRE; GREATER HAZARD AT ELEVATED TEMPERATURE

## SECTION 4

## REACTIVITY DATA

STABLE  
CONDITIONS TO AVOID:  
REACTS READILY WITH MOST CHEMICALS

MATERIALS TO AVOID:  
( ) WATER ( ) ACIDS (X) GASES ( ) CORROSIVES ( ) OXIDIZERS  
( ) OTHERS: REACTS EXPLOSIVELY WITH METALLIC POWDERS, CARBIDES,

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NITRIC ACID  
HAZARDOUS SAFETY DATA SHEET

## SECTION 4

## REACTIVITY DATA

HYDROGEN, TURPENTINE

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:  
TOXIC FUMES INCLUDING NOX

## SECTION 5

## SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES AND DISPOSAL

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED:

DILUTE WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER  
NEUTRALIZE WITH SODA ASHWASTE DISPOSAL METHOD: TO BE PERFORMED IN COMPLIANCE WITH ALL CURRENT  
LOCAL, STATE AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS.

## SECTION 6

## HEALTH HAZARD DATA

THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE:

2 PPM

TADS:

OEL-HMN LOU: 430 MG/KG

## THRESHOLD VALUE:

UNKNOWN

## EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE:

POSSIBLY FATAL BY INHALATION OR INGESTION.  
CONTACT WITH LIQUID OR CONCENTRATED VAPOR CAUSES SEVERE

BURNS.

INHALATION OF VAPORS OR GASEOUS OXIDES INJURES LUNGS  
(SYMPTOMS MAY BE DELAYED 4 - 30 HOURS); PULMONARY EDEMA MAY  
RESULT.

VAPORS MAY IMMEDIATELY AND PERMANENTLY DAMAGE VISION.

## FIRST AID PROCEDURES:

SKIN: FLUSH THOROUGHLY WITH WATER; WASH WITH SOAP/WATER; GET

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

EYES: FLUSH WITH WATER 15 MINUTES HOLDING EYES APART; GET

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

INHALATION: REMOVE TO FRESH AIR; GET MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

INGESTION: DRINK PLENTY OF WATER IF CONSCIOUS; GET MEDICAL

ASSISTANCE.

GET MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FOR ALL CASES OF OVEREXPOSURE

## SECTION 7

## SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

VENTILATION, RESPIRATORY PROTECTION, PROTECTIVE CLOTHING, EYE PROTECTION:

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VENTILATION, RESPIRATORY PROTECTION, PROTECTIVE CLOTHING, EYE PROTECTION:

PROVIDE ADEQUATE GENERAL MECHANICAL AND LOCAL EXHAUST  
VENTILATION.

PROTECT EYES AND SKIN WITH SAFETY GOGGLES AND GLOVES

WEAR FULL FACE SHIELD, IMPERVIOUS CLOTHING AND BOOTS

DO NOT BREATH VAPORS

DO NOT GET IN EYES, ON SKIN, OR ON CLOTHING

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SECTION 8 SPECIAL HANDLING AND STORAGE PRECAUTIONS  
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SPECIAL HANDLING AND STORAGE PRECAUTIONS:

KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED AND PROTECTED AGAINST PHYSICAL  
DAMAGESTORE IN A COOL, DRY, WELL-VENTILATED AREA; PROTECT AGAINST  
DIRECT SUNLIGHTSTORE SEPARATE FROM INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS, ORGANIC ACIDS  
AND ALL COMBUSTIBLE, ORGANIC OR OTHER READILY OXIDIZABLE

MATERIALS

KEEP UPRIGHT

WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING

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SECTION 9 HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS  
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HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS:

UNKNOWN

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SECTION 10 OTHER INFORMATION  
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HEALTH FLAMMABILITY REACTIVITY

COMMENTS:

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SECTION I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: NITRIC ACID  
FORMULA: HNO3  
FORMULA WT: 63.01  
CAS NO.: 07697-37-2  
NIOSH/ RTECS NO.: QU5775000  
COMMON SYNONYMS: HYDROGEN NITRATE  
PRODUCT CODES: 4801,9602,9598,9606,5371,9597,9600,5113,9616,9605,9601

PRECAUTIONARY LABELLING

BAKER SAF-T-DATA(TM) SYSTEM

HEALTH - 3 (POISON)  
FLAMMABILITY - 0  
REACTIVITY - 3 (OXIDIZER)  
CONTACT - 4 (CORROSIVE)

LABORATORY PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

GOGGLES & SHIELD; LAB COAT & APRON; VENT HOOD; PROPER GLOVES

PRECAUTIONARY LABEL STATEMENTS

POISON DANGER

STRONG OXIDIZER - CONTACT WITH OTHER MATERIAL MAY CAUSE FIRE  
LIQUID AND VAPOR CAUSE SEVERE BURNS - MAY BE FATAL IF SWALLOWED  
HARMFUL IF INHALED AND MAY CAUSE DELAYED LUNG INJURY

SPILLAGE MAY CAUSE FIRE OR LIBERATE DANGEROUS GAS

KEEP FROM CONTACT WITH CLOTHING AND OTHER COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS. DO NOT  
STORE NEAR COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS. DO NOT GET IN EYES, ON SKIN, ON CLOTHING.  
DO NOT BREATHE VAPOR. KEEP IN TIGHTLY CLOSED CONTAINER. USE WITH ADEQUATE  
VENTILATION. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING. IN CASE OF FIRE, FLOOD WITH  
WATER. FLUSH SPILL AREA WITH WATER SPRAY.

SECTION II - HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS

| COMPONENT   | %     | CAS NO.   |
|-------------|-------|-----------|
| NITRIC ACID | 65-75 | 7697-37-2 |

SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA

|                                   |                |  |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|--|
| BOILING POINT:                    | 120 C ( 248 F) | VAPOR PRESSURE(MM HG): 2.9                 |
| MELTING POINT:                    | -42 C ( -44 F) | VAPOR DENSITY(AIR=1): 2.5                  |
| SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.50<br>(H2O=1) |                | EVAPORATION RATE: N/A<br>(BUTYL ACETATE=1) |

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APPEARANCE & ODOR: COLORLESS LIQUID, WITH CHOKING ODOR.

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SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

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FLASH POINT: N/A NFPA 704M RATING: 3-0-0 OXY

FIRE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA  
USE WATER SPRAY.

## SPECIAL FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES

FIREFIGHTERS SHOULD WEAR PROPER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH FULL FACEPIECE OPERATED IN POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE. MOVE CONTAINERS FROM FIRE AREA IF IT CAN BE DONE WITHOUT RISK. USE WATER TO KEEP FIRE-EXPOSED CONTAINERS COOL.

## UNUSUAL FIRE &amp; EXPLOSION HAZARDS

STRONG OXIDIZER. CONTACT WITH OTHER MATERIAL MAY CAUSE FIRE.

TOXIC GASES PRODUCED  
NITROGEN OXIDES

SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE (TLV/TWA): 5 MG/M<sup>3</sup> ( 2 PPM)

SHORT-TERM EXPOSURE LIMIT (STEL): 10 MG/M3 ( 4 PPM)

## EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE

LIQUID MAY CAUSE SEVERE BURNS TO SKIN AND EYES.  
 INHALATION OF VAPORS MAY CAUSE SEVERE IRRITATION OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM  
 INHALATION OF VAPORS MAY CAUSE COUGHING, CHEST PAINS, DIFFICULTY BREATHING  
 OR UNCONSCIOUSNESS.  
 INGESTION MAY BE FATAL.

## EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

CALL A PHYSICIAN.  
IF SWALLOWED, DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING; IF CONSCIOUS, GIVE WATER, MILK, OR MILK OF MAGNESIA.  
IF INHALED, REMOVE TO FRESH AIR. IF NOT BREATHING, GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. IF BREATHING IS DIFFICULT, GIVE OXYGEN.  
IN CASE OF CONTACT, IMMEDIATELY FLUSH EYES OR SKIN WITH PLENTY OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES WHILE REMOVING CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES.  
WASH CLOTHING BEFORE RE-USE.

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SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA

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STABILITY: STABLE

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: HEAT, LIGHT

INCOMPATIBLES: STRONG BASES, COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS,  
STRONG REDUCING AGENTS

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: OXIDES OF NITROGEN

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SECTION VII - SPILL AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

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STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN THE EVENT OF A SPILL OR DISCHARGE

WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS AND FULL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING. STOP  
LEAK IF YOU CAN DO SO WITHOUT RISK. VENTILATE AREA. NEUTRALIZE SPILL WITH  
SODA ASH OR LIME. WITH CLEAN SHOVEL, CAREFULLY PLACE MATERIAL INTO CLEAN,  
DRY CONTAINER AND COVER; REMOVE FROM AREA. FLUSH SPILL AREA WITH WATER.  
KEEP COMBUSTIBLES (WOOD, PAPER, OIL, ETC.) AWAY FROM SPILLED MATERIAL.

J. T. BAKER NEUTRASORB(R) OR NEUTRASOL(R) "LCW NA+" ACID NEUTRALIZERS  
ARE RECOMMENDED FOR SPILLS OF THIS PRODUCT.

DISPOSAL PROCEDURE

DISPOSE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL  
ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS.

EPA HAZARDOUS WASTE NUMBER: D002, D003 (CORROSIVE, REACTIVE WASTE)

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SECTION VIII - PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

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VENTILATION: USE GENERAL OR LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION TO MEET  
TLV REQUIREMENTS.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: RESPIRATORY PROTECTION REQUIRED IF AIRBORNE  
CONCENTRATION EXCEEDS TLV. AT CONCENTRATIONS UP  
TO 100 PPM, A CHEMICAL CARTRIDGE RESPIRATOR WITH  
ACID CARTRIDGE IS RECOMMENDED. ABOVE THIS LEVEL,  
A SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS IS ADVISED.

EYE/SKIN PROTECTION: SAFETY GOGGLES AND FACE SHIELD, UNIFORM,  
PROTECTIVE SUIT, ACID-RESISTANT GLOVES ARE  
RECOMMENDED.

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SECTION IX - STORAGE AND HANDLING PRECAUTIONS

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SAF-T-DATA(TM) STORAGE COLOR CODE: YELLOW

SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED. STORE SEPARATELY AND AWAY FROM FLAMMABLE

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SECTION IX - STORAGE AND HANDLING PRECAUTIONS (CONTINUED)

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AND COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS.

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SECTION X - TRANSPORTATION DATA AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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|                      |                        |
|----------------------|------------------------|
| PROPER SHIPPING NAME | NITRIC ACID (OVER 40%) |
| HAZARD CLASS         | OXIDIZER               |
| UN/NA                | UN2031                 |
| LABELS               | OXIDIZER, CORROSIVE    |
| REPORTABLE QUANTITY  | 1000 LBS.              |

INTERNATIONAL (I.M.C.)

|                      |             |
|----------------------|-------------|
| PROPER SHIPPING NAME | NITRIC ACID |
| HAZARD CLASS         | 8           |
| UN/NA                | UN2031      |
| LABELS               | CORROSIVE   |

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(M) AND (R) DESIGNATE TRADEMARKS.

N/A = NOT APPLICABLE OR NOT AVAILABLE

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**OXYGEN**

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

|                            |                   |
|----------------------------|-------------------|
| PRODUCT NAME               | CAS #             |
| Oxygen                     | 7782-44-7         |
| TRADE NAME AND SYNONYMS    | DOT I.D. No.:     |
| Oxygen                     | UN 1072           |
| CHEMICAL NAME AND SYNONYMS | DOT Hazard Class: |
| Oxygen                     | Nonflammable gas  |
| ISSUE DATE AND REVISIONS   | Formula:          |
| 25 November 1985           | O <sub>2</sub>    |
|                            | Chemical Family:  |
|                            | Oxidizer          |

### HEALTH HAZARD DATA

#### TIME WEIGHTED AVERAGE EXPOSURE LIMIT

None established (ACGIH, 1985-86). Oxygen is the "vital element" in the atmosphere in which we live and breathe (approximately 21 molar % of the atmosphere).

#### SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE

Breathing high concentrations (greater than 75 molar percent) causes symptoms of hyperoxia which include cramps, nausea, dizziness, hypothermia, ambylopia, respiratory difficulties, bradycardia, fainting spells, and convulsions capable of leading to death. For additional information on hyperoxia, see Compressed Gas Association's Pamphlet P-14.

#### TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

The property is that of hyperoxia which leads to pneumonia. Concentrations between 25 and 75 molar percent present a risk of inflammation of organic matter in the body.

#### RECOMMENDED FIRST AID TREATMENT

PROMPT MEDICAL ATTENTION IS MANDATORY IN ALL CASES OF OVEREXPOSURE TO OXYGEN. RESCUE PERSONNEL SHOULD BE COGNIZANT OF EXTREME FIRE HAZARD ASSOCIATED WITH OXYGEN-RICH ATMOSPHERES.

Conscious persons should be assisted to an uncontaminated area and breathe fresh air. They should be kept warm and quiet. The physician should be informed that the victim is experiencing (has experienced) hyperoxia.

Unconscious persons should be moved to an uncontaminated area and given assisted respiration. When breathing has been restored, treatment should be as above. Continued treatment should be symptomatic and supportive.

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**HAZARDOUS MIXTURES OF OTHER LIQUIDS, SOLIDS, OR GASES**

Oxygen vigorously accelerates combustion. Contact with all flammable materials should be avoided. Some materials which are not flammable in air will burn in pure oxygen or oxygen-enriched atmospheres.

**PHYSICAL DATA**

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|--|---|
| BOILING POINT<br>-297.3°F (-182.9°C)   | LIQUID DENSITY AT BOILING POINT<br>71.23 lb/ft <sup>3</sup> (1141 kg/m <sup>3</sup> ) |
| VAPOR PRESSURE @ 70°F (21.1°C) Above the critical temp. of -181.1°F (-118.4°C) | GAS DENSITY AT 70°F, 1 atm<br>.0828 lb/ft <sup>3</sup> (1.326 kg/m <sup>3</sup> )     |
| SOLUBILITY IN WATER<br>Slightly  | FREEZING POINT<br>-361.8°F (-218.8°C)   |
| EVAPORATION RATE<br>N/A  | SPECIFIC GRAVITY (AIR=1)<br>@ 70°F (21.1°C) = 1.11                                    |
| APPEARANCE AND ODOR<br>Colorless, odorless gas                                 |   |

**FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA**

|  |                                  |   |
|--|----------------------------------|---|
| FLASH POINT (Method used)<br>N/A   | AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE<br>N/A | FLAMMABLE LIMITS % BY VOLUME<br>LEL N/A UEL N/A |
| EXTINGUISHING MEDIA Copious quantities of water for fires with oxygen as the oxidizer.                 |                                  | ELECTRICAL CLASSIFICATION<br>Nonhazardous       |
| SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES<br>If possible, stop the flow of oxygen which is supporting the fire. |                                  |   |
| UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS<br><br>Vigorously accelerates combustion.                           |                                  |   |

**REACTIVITY DATA**

|   |   |                     |
|---|---|---------------------|
| STABILITY<br>Unstable   |   | CONDITIONS TO AVOID |
| Stable  | X | N/A                 |
| INCOMPATIBILITY (Materials to avoid)<br>All flammable materials |   |                     |
| HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS<br>None                        |   |                     |
| HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION  |   | CONDITIONS TO AVOID |
| May Occur   |   | N/A                 |
| Will Not Occur  | X |                     |

**SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES**

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| STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED<br>Evacuate all personnel from affected area. Use appropriate protective equipment. If leak is in user's equipment, be certain to purge piping with an inert gas prior to attempting repairs. If leak is in container or container valve, contact your closest supplier location or call the emergency telephone number listed herein. |
| WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD Do not attempt to dispose of waste or unused quantities. Return in the shipping container properly labeled, with any valve outlet plugs or caps secured and valve protection cap in place to your supplier. For emergency disposal assistance, contact your closest supplier location or call the emergency telephone number listed herein.                                |

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|---|--|---------|-----|
| RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (Specify type)<br>N/A                      |  |         |     |
| VENTILATION<br>To prevent accumulation<br>above 25 molar percent. | LOCAL EXHAUST To prevent accumulation<br>above 25 molar percent. | SPECIAL | N/A |
|   | MECHANICAL (Gen.)<br>N/A   | OTHER   | N/A |
| PROTECTIVE GLOVES<br>As required; any material                    |  |         |     |
| EYE PROTECTION<br>Safety goggles or glasses                       |  |         |     |
| OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT<br>Safety shoes, safety shower         |  |         |     |

## SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS\*

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|---|------------------------------------|
| SPECIAL LABELING INFORMATION  |                                    |
| DOT Shipping Name: Oxygen or Oxygen, compressed   | DOT Hazard Class: Nonflammable gas |
| DOT Shipping Label: Oxidizer  | I.D. No.: UN 1072                  |
| SPECIAL HANDLING RECOMMENDATIONS  |                                    |
| <p>Use only in well-ventilated areas. Valve protection caps and valve outlet threaded plugs must remain in place unless container is secured with valve outlet piped to use point. Do not drag, slide or roll cylinders. Use a suitable hand truck for cylinder movement. Use a pressure reducing regulator when connecting cylinder to lower pressure (&lt;3000 psig) piping or systems. Do not heat cylinder by any means to increase the discharge rate of product from the cylinder. Use a check valve or trap in the discharge line to prevent hazardous back flow into the cylinder.</p> <p>For additional handling recommendations, consult Compressed Gas Association's Pamphlets P-1, P-14, and G-4.</p> |                                    |
| SPECIAL STORAGE RECOMMENDATIONS   |                                    |
| <p>Protect cylinders from physical damage. Store in cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from heavily trafficked areas and emergency exits and away from full or empty stored cylinders which contain flammable products. Do not allow the temperature where cylinders are stored to exceed 130F (54C). Cylinders should be stored upright and firmly secured to prevent falling or being knocked over. Full and empty cylinders should be segregated. Use a "first in-first out" inventory system to prevent full cylinders being stored for excessive periods of time.</p> <p>For additional storage recommendations, consult Compressed Gas Association's Pamphlets P-1, P-14, and G-4.</p>                    |                                    |
| SPECIAL PACKAGING RECOMMENDATIONS   |                                    |
| <p>Carbon steels and low alloy steels are acceptable for use at lower pressures. For high pressure applications use stainless steels, copper and its alloys, nickel and its alloys, brass, bronze, silicon alloys, Monel®, Inconel® or beryllium. Lead and silver or lead and tin alloys are good gasketing materials. Teflon® and Kel-F® are the preferred nonmetal gaskets.</p> <p>Special Note: It should be recognized that the ignition temperature of metals and nonmetals in pure oxygen service decreases with increasing oxygen pressure.</p>  |                                    |
| OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS OR PRECAUTIONS  |                                    |
| <p>Oxygen should not be used as a substitute for compressed air in pneumatic equipment since this type generally contains flammable lubricants. Equipment to contain oxygen must be "cleaned for oxygen service." See Compressed Gas Association Pamphlet G-4.1. Compressed gas cylinders should not be refilled except by qualified producers of compressed gases. Shipment of a compressed gas cylinder which has not been filled by the owner or with his (written) consent is a violation of Federal Law (49CFR).</p>   |                                    |

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**1-8% OXYGEN IN ARGON**

## MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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| PRODUCT NAME<br>1-8% Oxygen in Argon               | CAS # For oxygen = 7782-44-7;<br>For Argon = 7440-37-1 |
| TRADE NAME AND SYNONYMS<br>1-8% Oxygen in Argon    | DOT I.D. No.:<br>UN 1956                               |
| CHEMICAL NAME AND SYNONYMS<br>1-8% Oxygen in Argon | DOT Hazard Class:<br>Nonflammable gas                  |
| ISSUE DATE AND REVISIONS<br>25 November 1985       | Formula:<br>1-8 Molar % O <sub>2</sub> in Ar           |
|  | Chemical Family:<br>Gas mixture                        |

### HEALTH HAZARD DATA

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| TIME WEIGHTED AVERAGE EXPOSURE LIMIT No TWA is established. The gas mixtures are simple asphyxiants. Oxygen levels should be maintained at greater than 18 molar percent at (Continued on last page.)  |
| SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE<br><br>Effects of exposure to high concentrations so as to displace the oxygen in the air necessary for life are headache, dizziness, labored breathing and eventual unconsciousness.   |
| TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES<br><br>Mixtures are nontoxic but the liberation of a large amount in a confined area could displace the amount of oxygen in air necessary to support life.  |
| RECOMMENDED FIRST AID TREATMENT<br><br>PROMPT MEDICAL ATTENTION IS MANDATORY IN ALL CASES OF OVEREXPOSURE TO THESE MIXTURES. RESCUE PERSONNEL SHOULD BE EQUIPPED WITH SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS.<br><br>Inhalation: Conscious persons should be assisted to an uncontaminated area and inhale fresh air. Quick removal from the contaminated area is most important. Unconscious persons should be moved to an uncontaminated area, given mouth-to-mouth resuscitation and supplemental oxygen. Further treatment should be symptomatic and supportive. |

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**HAZARDOUS MIXTURES OF OTHER LIQUIDS, SOLIDS, OR GASES**

None

**PHYSICAL DATA (See Note on Last Page.)**

|   |  |
|---|--|
| BOILING POINT<br>Gas mixture                    | LIQUID DENSITY AT BOILING POINT<br>Gas mixture                 |
| VAPOR PRESSURE<br>Gas mixture                   | GAS DENSITY AT 70°F, 1 atm<br>Gas mixture                      |
| SOLUBILITY IN WATER<br>Gas mixture              | FREEZING POINT<br>Gas mixture                                  |
| EVAPORATION RATE<br>Gas mixture                 | SPECIFIC GRAVITY (AIR=1)<br>@ 70°F (21.1°C) = Greater than 1.0 |
| APPEARANCE AND ODOR<br>Colorless, odorless gas. |  |

**FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA**

|   |                                  |   |
|---|----------------------------------|---|
| FLASH POINT (Method used)<br>N/A                | AUTO IGNITION TEMPERATURE<br>N/A | FLAMMABLE LIMITS % BY VOLUME<br>LEL N/A UEL N/A |
| EXTINGUISHING MEDIA<br>Nonflammable gas mixture |                                  | ELECTRICAL CLASSIFICATION<br>Nonhazardous       |
| SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES<br><br>N/A     |                                  |   |
| UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS<br><br>N/A   |                                  |   |

**REACTIVITY DATA**

|  |   |                                |
|--|---|--------------------------------|
| STABILITY<br>Unstable                        |   | CONDITIONS TO AVOID<br><br>N/A |
| Stable                                       | X |                                |
| INCOMPATIBILITY (Materials to avoid)<br>None |   |                                |
| HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS<br>None     |   |                                |
| HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION                     |   | CONDITIONS TO AVOID<br><br>N/A |
| May Occur                                    |   |                                |
| Will Not Occur                               | X |                                |

**SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES****STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED**

Evacuate all personnel from affected area. Use appropriate protective equipment. If leak is in container or container valve, contact your closest supplier location or call the emergency telephone number listed herein.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD Do not attempt to dispose of waste or unused quantities. Return in the shipping container properly labeled, with any valve outlet plugs or caps secured and valve protection cap in place to your supplier. For emergency disposal assistance, contact your closest supplier location or call the emergency telephone number listed herein.

|   |                                 |                |
|---|---------------------------------|----------------|
| RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (Specify type) Positive pressure air line with mask or self-contained breathing apparatus should be available for emergency use. |                                 |                |
| VENTILATION<br>See Local Exhaust on last page.  | LOCAL EXHAUST<br>See last page. | SPECIAL<br>N/A |
|   | MECHANICAL (Gen.)<br>N/A        | OTHER<br>N/A   |
| PROTECTIVE GLOVES<br>As required when welding   |                                 |                |
| EYE PROTECTION<br>Safety goggles or glasses   |                                 |                |
| OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT<br>Safety shoes and appropriate head and eye protection when welding   |                                 |                |

## SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS\*

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| SPECIAL LABELING INFORMATION<br>DOT Shipping Name: Compressed gas, n.o.s. DOT Hazard Class: Nonflammable gas<br>DOT Shipping Label: Nonflammable gas I.D. No.: UN 1956   |
| SPECIAL HANDLING RECOMMENDATIONS<br>Use only in well-ventilated areas. Valve protection caps must remain in place unless container is secured with valve outlet piped to use point. Do not drag, slide or roll cylinders. Use a suitable hand truck for cylinder movement. Use a pressure reducing regulator when connecting cylinder to lower pressure (<3,000 psig) piping or systems. Do not heat cylinder by any means to increase the discharge rate of product from the cylinder. Use a check valve or trap in the discharge line to prevent hazardous back flow into the cylinder.<br><br>For additional handling recommendations, consult Compressed Gas Association's Pamphlets P-1, P-14 and Safety Bulletin SB-2. |
| SPECIAL STORAGE RECOMMENDATIONS<br>Protect cylinders from physical damage. Store in cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from heavily trafficked areas and emergency exits. Do not allow the temperature where cylinders are stored to exceed 130F (54C). Cylinders should be stored upright and firmly secured to prevent falling or being knocked over. Full and empty cylinders should be segregated. Use a "first in-first out" inventory system to prevent full cylinders being stored for excessive periods of time.<br><br>For additional storage recommendations, consult Compressed Gas Association's Pamphlets P-1, P-14 and Safety Bulletin SB-2.   |
| SPECIAL PACKAGING RECOMMENDATIONS<br><br>These gas mixtures are noncorrosive and may be used with any common structural material.  |
| OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS OR PRECAUTIONS<br>Compressed gas cylinders should not be refilled except by qualified producers of compressed gases. Shipment of a compressed gas cylinder which has not been filled by the owner or with his (written) consent is a violation of Federal Law (49CFR).   |

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TIME WEIGHTED AVERAGE EXPOSURE LIMIT: (Continued)

normal atmospheric pressure which is equivalent to a partial pressure of 135 mm Hg (ACGIH, 1985-86).

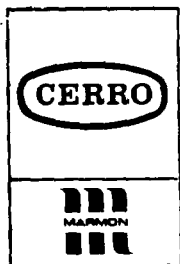
PHYSICAL DATA: (Continued)

For physical data of the pure gases, see your supplier's material safety data sheets for oxygen and argon.

LOCAL EXHAUST: (Continued)

To prevent accumulation of high concentrations so as to reduce the oxygen level in the air to less than 18 molar percent.

PHFFT Aerosol  
Duster



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Gentlemen:

In order for us to determine if the material captioned above, which we purchase from you, contains any ingredients which will require us to "list" it under the requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, would you please supply us with your most recent Material Safety Data Sheet.

The data sheet must contain the ingredients which make up the material.

If you consider the formula a trade secret, please supply a separate list of just the ingredients (not their percentages) which make up more than 0.1% of the material.

If you do not desire to supply a list of ingredients, then:

1. Provide a statement on the MSDS that says no ingredients in the material would require it to be listed under the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard.
2. Or, list only those ingredients on the MSDS which would require it to be placed on a Hazard Communication list.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation in supplying this important information.

Yours very truly,

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| FFFFFFFFFF | III | SS     | HHHHHHH | EEEEEEEE | RRRR     |       |
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| CAT NBR | DESCRIPTION                |           |
| 1523220 | PHFFT AEROSOL DUSTER 18 OZ |           |

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**PRODUCT TYPE:**

Contact Cleaners

Specialty Cleaners Phift Duster

**Trade Name & Synonyms:****Contact Clean****Contact Restorer****Head/Disc Cleaner****70 PSI**

(15-232-20)

**Chemical Family:**Halogenated hydrocarbon  
solvents, propellantHalogenated hydrocarbon  
solvent, lubricant,  
propellantHalogenated hydrocarbon  
solvent, aliphatic alcohol,  
propellant

Propellant

**Section II****INGREDIENTS**  
SolventsTrichlorofluoromethane  
Trichlorotrifluoroethane  
(97%) TLV 1000 PPM  
Carbon Dioxide  
(3%) TLV 5000 PPMTrichlorotrifluoroethane  
(93%) TLV 1000 PPM  
Hydrotreated light paraffinic  
distillate (4%) TLV 5mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
Carbon Dioxide  
(3%) TLV 5000 PPMTrichlorotrifluoroethane  
(94%) TLV 1000 PPM  
Isopropyl Alcohol (3%) TLV  
400 PPM  
Carbon Dioxide  
(3%) TLV 5000 PPMDichlorodifluoromethane  
(100%) TLV 1000 PPM**Section III****PHYSICAL DATA OF  
CONCENTRATE SYSTEM**Boiling Point Range (°F) 75 - 118  
Water Solubility 0.08%  
Specific Gravity (H<sub>2</sub>O = 1) 1.46 @ 77°F  
Percent Volatile 100  
Appearance Colorless liquid  
Odor Slight ethereal odor75 - greater than 600  
0.01%  
1.43 @ 77°F  
96  
Colorless liquid  
Slight ethereal odor116 - 180  
0.1%  
1.54 @ 77°F  
100  
Colorless liquid  
Slight ethereal odor- 22 - - 20  
0.01%  
1.31 @ 77°F  
100  
Colorless liquid  
Slight ethereal odor**Section IV****FIRE & EXPLOSION  
HAZARD DATA**Flash Point  
Extinguishing MediaNone  
Non-flammable365°F for non-volatile portion  
dry chemical foam, carbon  
dioxideNone  
Non-flammableNone  
Non-flammable

Self contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing should be worn in fighting fires when chemicals are present.  
At flame temperatures (above 400°F) decomposition products are extremely toxic. Aerosol can will not withstand temperatures above 120°F - explosion and resulting damage will occur.

Unusual Fire &  
Explosive Hazards

Addition of excess water  
(over 0.2%) will extract  
alcohol and may form a  
flammable supernatant  
liquid layer

**Section V****HEALTH HAZARD DATA**Threshold Limit  
Value (TLV)  
Effects of Over Exposure  
First Aid Procedures

1000 PPM

1000 PPM

900 PPM

1000 PPM

Light headedness, giddiness, shortness of breath, possible narcosis, possible cardiac arrhythmias at high concentrations.  
Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. Do not give epinephrine or similar drugs. If necessary, call a physician.  
Skin or eye contact: Flush with water that is not hot or too cold. If necessary, call a physician.

**Section VI****REACTIVITY DATA**

Incompatibility

Avoid open flames and high temperatures: 120°F for aerosols, 400°F for solvent spray and liquid. Avoid contact with alkali and alkaline earth metals including powdered aluminum, beryllium and zinc.

Hazardous Decomposition  
Products

Hydrochloric and hydrofluoric acids, also possible carbonyl halides.

**Section VII****SPILL OR LEAK  
PROCEDURES**Steps to be taken  
Waste Disposal Method

Ventilate area especially low places where heavy vapor might collect. Remove open flames and hot (120°F) objects.  
Exhaust aerosol can contents to atmosphere at a rate that the TLV is not exceeded. Chemtronics recommends that all local, state and federal regulations concerning health and pollution be reviewed to determine approved disposal procedures.

**Section VIII****SPECIAL PROTECTION  
INFORMATION**

Respiratory Protection

Avoid breathing mist during spray applications. Use approved respiratory protection such as an air supplied mask or MSHA/NIOSH approved organic type respirator in absence or proper environmental control, or when used in an enclosed space, or when high concentrations are present.

**Section IX****SPECIAL PRECAUTION**

Handling and Storing

Safety glasses or goggles are required. A safety shower and eye wash station should be present for all industrial chemical applications.

Other Precautions

Do not store where temperatures might exceed 120°F. Use with adequate ventilation (equivalent to outdoors). Do not use where open flames, heating elements, or other hot objects (above 400°F) are present. Do not ingest.  
Do not eat, drink or smoke where vapors are present. Keep out of the reach of children.

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SUBSTANCE IDENTIFICATION

CAS-NUMBER 1310-58-3

SUBSTANCE: \*\*POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE, SOLID\*\*

TRADE NAMES/SYNONYMS: CAUSTIC POTASH; POTASSA; POTASSIUM HYDRATE; CAUSTIC LYE; LYE; POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE DIMER; UN 1813; P-250; P-251; P-246

CHEMICAL FAMILY:  
INORGANIC BASE

MOLECULAR FORMULA: K-O-H MOL WT: 56.11

CERCLA RATINGS (SCALE 0-3): HEALTH=3 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=1 PERSISTENCE=0

COMPONENTS AND CONTAMINANTS

PERCENT: >85 COMPONENT: POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE

PERCENT: <15 COMPONENT: WATER

PERCENT: <1 COMPONENT: POTASSIUM CARBONATE

EXPOSURE LIMITS:  
2 MG/M3 ACGIH CEILING

PHYSICAL DATA

DESCRIPTION: HYGROSCOPIC, ODORLESS, WHITE PELLETS OR FLAKES.

BOILING POINT: 2408 F (1320 C) MELTING POINT: 681 F (360 C)

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 2.0 VAPOR PRESSURE: 1 MMHG @ 715 C

PH: 0.1 M SOLUTION 13.5 SOLUBILITY IN WATER: 107%

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SOLVENT SOLUBILITY: ALCOHOL, GLYCERINE

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#### FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD:  
NEGLECTIBLE FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD WHEN EXPOSED TO HEAT OR FLAME.

EXOTHERMIC REACTION WITH WATER MAY RELEASE ENOUGH HEAT TO IGNITE COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS.

FLASH POINT: NON-COMBUSTIBLE

FIREFIGHTING MEDIA:  
DRY CHEMICAL, CARBON DIOXIDE, WATER SPRAY OR FOAM  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FOR LARGER FIRES, USE WATER SPRAY, FOG OR ALCOHOL FOAM  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FIREFIGHTING:  
MOVE CONTAINERS FROM FIRE AREA IF POSSIBLE. COOL CONTAINERS EXPOSED TO FLAMES  
WITH WATER FROM SIDE UNTIL WELL AFTER FIRE IS OUT (1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE  
GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

EXTINGUISH USING AGENTS SUITABLE FOR TYPE OF SURROUNDING FIRE. USE FLOODING  
AMOUNTS OF WATER AS FOG, APPLY FROM AS FAR A DISTANCE AS POSSIBLE (BUREAU OF  
EXPLOSIVES, EMERGENCY HANDLING OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS IN SURFACE  
TRANSPORTATION, 1981).

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#### TOXICITY

5 MG/24 HOURS SKIN-RABBIT MODERATE IRRITATION; 1 MG/24 HOURS EYE-RABBIT  
MODERATE IRRITATION; CARCINOGEN STATUS: NONE.  
POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE IS A SEVERE EYE, MUCOUS MEMBRANE, AND SKIN IRRITANT.

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#### HEALTH EFFECTS AND FIRST AID

INHALATION:  
IRRITANT.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- MAY CAUSE IRRITATION, SORE THROAT, COUGHING, DYSPNEA,  
PULMONARY EDEMA.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE BRONCHIAL IRRIT-  
ATION, COUGHING, BRONCHIAL PNEUMONIA, AND GASTROINTESTINAL DISTURBANCES.

FIRST AID- REMOVE FROM EXPOSURE AREA TO FRESH AIR IMMEDIATELY. IF BREATHING  
HAS STOPPED, GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. KEEP AFFECTED PERSON WARM AND AT  
REST. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

SKIN CONTACT:  
IRRITANT.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- MAY CAUSE IRRITATION, AND SOFT NECROTIC DEEPLY PENETRATING  
BURNS OR CONTACT. PENETRATION MAY CONTINUE FOR SEVERAL DAYS.

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CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE DERMATITIS.

FIRST AID- REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING WHILE RUNNING STREAMS OF WATER UNDER CLOTHING. WASH AFFECTED AREA WITH SOAP OR MILD DETERGENT AND LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES). IN CASE OF CHEMICAL BURNS, COVER AREA WITH STERILE, DRY DRESSING. BANDAGE SECURELY, BUT NOT TOO TIGHTLY. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

EYE CONTACT:  
IRRITANT.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- CONTACT WITH VAPORS AND/OR FUMES MAY CAUSE IRRITATION, REDNESS, PAIN, BLURRED VISION, CONJUNCTIVITIS AND BURNS. DIRECT CONTACT MAY CAUSE CONJUNCTIVAL EDEMA AND DAMAGE AND CORNEAL AND EPISCLERAL DAMAGE OR DESTRUCTION.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE TO VAPORS AND/OR FUMES MAY CAUSE CONJUNCTIVITIS AND CORNEAL BURNS.

FIRST AID- WASH EYES IMMEDIATELY WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER, OCCASIONALLY LIFTING UPPER AND LOWER LIDS, UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES). IN PRESENCE OF BURNS, APPLY STERILE BANDAGES LOOSELY WITHOUT MEDICATION. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

INGESTION:  
IRRITANT.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- SEVERE PAIN IN THE MOUTH, THROAT, AND ABDOMEN, VOMITING, HEMATEMESIS, DIARRHEA, ANOREXIA, DIZZINESS, COLLAPSE, COMA, AND DEATH ARE POSSIBLE. IF DEATH DOES NOT OCCUR IN THE FIRST 24 HOURS, GASTRIC OR ESOPHAGEAL PERFORATION MAY CAUSE SEVERE ABDOMINAL PAIN, RIGIDITY, AND SUDDEN HYPOTENSION AFTER 2-4 DAYS. ESOPHAGEAL STRICTURE MAY OCCUR LATER, EVEN AFTER SEVERAL YEARS.

FIRST AID- IF VICTIM IS CONSCIOUS, GIVE HIM LARGE QUANTITIES OF WATER IMMEDIATELY TO DILUTE THE ALKALI. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

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REACTIVITY  
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REACTIVITY:  
EXOTHERMIC REACTION WITH WATER. IT GENERATES CONSIDERABLE HEAT AND FORMS CORROSIVE FUMES.

INCOMPATIBILITIES:

POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE  
NITRIC TRICHLORIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
PHOSPHORUS: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
CHLORINE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
N-METHYL-N-NITROSOUREA AND METHYLENE CHLORIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
N-NITROSOMETHYLENE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
NITROBENZENE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION ON HEATING.  
MALEIC ANHYDRIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
TETRAHYDROFURAN: POSSIBLE EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
CHLORINE DIOXIDE: POSSIBLE EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
ACROLEIN: VIOLENT POLYMERIZATION.  
ACRYLONITRILE: VIOLENT POLYMERIZATION.  
CHLOROFORM AND METHANOL: INTENSE EXOTHERMIC REACTION.

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BENZOYL CHLORIDE AND SODIUM AZIDE: VIOLENT EXOTHERMIC REACTION.  
 O-NITROPHENOL (MOLTEN): VIOLENT REACTION.  
 POTASSIUM PEROXODISULFATE: IGNITION REACTION.  
 POTASSIUM PERSULFATE AND WATER: IGNITION REACTION.  
 2,2,3,3-TETRAFLUOROPROPANOL: IGNITION REACTION.  
 HYPONITROUS ACID: IGNITION REACTION.  
 TETRACHLOROETHANE: IGNITION ON HEATING.  
 THORIUM CARBIDE: INCANDESCENT REACTION ON HEATING.  
 AMMONIUM HEXACHLOROPLATINATE: FORMATION OF EXPLOSIVE PRODUCT.  
 1,2-DICHLOROETHYLENE: FORMATION OF EXPLOSIVE PRODUCT.  
 NITROPARAFFINS (NITROETHANE; NITROMETHANE): FORMATION OF EXPLOSIVE PRODUCT.  
 NITROALKANES: FORMATION OF EXPLOSIVE PRODUCT.  
 CALCIUM CARBIDE AND CHLORINE: FORMATION OF EXPLOSIVE PRODUCT.  
 2,4,6-TRINITROTOLUENE AND METHANOL: FORMATION OF EXPLOSIVE PRODUCT.  
 TRICHLOROETHYLENE: FORMATION OF EXPLOSIVE PRODUCT ON HEATING.  
 TETRACHLOROETHANE: FORMATION OF FLAMMABLE PRODUCT.  
 ACIDS: REACTS VIOLENTLY.  
 METALS: CORROSIVE REACTION WITH FORMATION OF FLAMMABLE HYDROGEN GAS.  
 GERMANIUM: INCANDESCENT REACTION.

DECOMPOSITION:  
 THERMAL OR CHEMICAL DECOMPOSITION MAY RELEASE TOXIC FUMES OF POTASSIUM OXIDE WHICH CAN REACT WITH WATER OR STEAM TO PRODUCE HEAT.

POLYMERIZATION:  
 NOT KNOWN TO OCCUR.

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 CONDITIONS TO AVOID

MAY BURN BUT DOES NOT IGNITE READILY. FLAMMABLE, POISONOUS GASES MAY ACCUMULATE IN TANKS AND HOPPER CARS. MAY IGNITE COMBUSTIBLES (WOOD, PAPER, OIL, ETC.).

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 SPILL AND LEAK PROCEDURES

SOIL SPILL:  
 DIG A HOLDING AREA SUCH AS A PIT, POND OR LAGOON TO CONTAIN SPILL AND DIKE SURFACE FLOW USING BARRIER OF SOIL, SANDBAGS, FOAMED POLYURETHANE OR FOAMED CONCRETE. ABSORB LIQUID MASS WITH FLY ASH OR CEMENT POWDER.

ADD DILUTE ACID TO NEUTRALIZE.

AIR SPILL:  
 APPLY WATER SPRAY TO KNOCK DOWN AND REDUCE VAPORS. KNOCK-DOWN WATER IS CORROSIVE AND TOXIC AND SHOULD BE DIKED FOR CONTAINMENT.

WATER SPILL:  
 NEUTRALIZE WITH DILUTE ACID OR REMOVEABLE STRONG ACID.

OCCUPATIONAL SPILL:  
 DO NOT TOUCH SPILLED MATERIAL. STOP LEAK IF YOU CAN DO IT WITHOUT RISK. FOR SMALL SPILLS, TAKE UP WITH SAND OR OTHER ABSORBENT MATERIAL AND PLACE INTO GLASS OR PLASTIC CONTAINERS FOR LATER DISPOSAL. FOR SMALL DRY SPILLS, WITH CLEAN SHOVEL PLACE MATERIAL INTO CLEAN, DRY GLASS OR PLASTIC CONTAINER AND COVER. MOVE CONTAINERS FROM SPILL AREA. FOR LARGER SPILLS, DIKE FAR AHEAD OF SPILL FOR LATER DISPOSAL. KEEP UNNECESSARY PEOPLE AWAY. ISOLATE HAZARD AREA

AND DENY ENTRY.

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PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

VENTILATION:

PROVIDE LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION SYSTEM TO MEET PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMITS.

RESPIRATOR:

2000 MG/M3- SUPPLIED-AIR RESPIRATOR WITH A FULL FACEPIECE, HELMET, OR HOOD.  
SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE.

FIRE FIGHTING- SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE, OPER-  
ATED IN PRESSURE-DEMAND OR OTHER POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE.

CLOTHING:

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT TO PREVENT  
ANY POSSIBILITY OF SKIN CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

GLOVES:

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE GLOVES TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS  
SUBSTANCE.

EYE PROTECTION:

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR SPLASH-PROOF OR DUST-RESISTANT SAFETY GOGGLES AND A  
FACESHIELD TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

WHERE THERE IS ANY POSSIBILITY THAT AN EMPLOYEE'S EYES MAY BE EXPOSED TO  
THIS SUBSTANCE, THE EMPLOYER SHALL PROVIDE AN EYE-WASH FOUNTAIN WITHIN THE  
IMMEDIATE WORK AREA FOR EMERGENCY USE.

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SUBSTANCE IDENTIFICATION

CAS-NUMBER 7757-79-1

SUBSTANCE: \*\*POTASSIUM NITRATE\*\*

TRADE NAMES/SYNONYMS: NITER; NITRE; SALTPETER; P-383; P-261; P-263

CHEMICAL FAMILY:  
INORGANIC SALT

MOLECULAR FORMULA: K-N-03 MOL WT 101.11

CERCLA RATINGS (SCALE 0-3): HEALTH=3 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=0 PERSISTENCE=0

COMPONENTS AND CONTAMINANTS

PERCENT: 100 COMPONENT: POTASSIUM NITRATE

OTHER CONTAMINANTS: NONE

EXPOSURE LIMITS:  
NONE ESTABLISHED

PHYSICAL DATA

—DESCRIPTION: COLORLESS, TRANSPARENT PRISMS, WHITE GRANULAR OR CRYSTALLINE POWDER, WITH A COOLING, SALINE, PUNGENT TASTE

BOILING POINT: 752 F (400 C) DEC MELTING POINT: 633 F (334 C)

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 2.1 PH: 7.0 SOLUBILITY IN WATER: 13.3%

—SOLVENT SOLUBILITY: LIQUID AMMONIA, GLYCEROL

001250

Potassium  
Nitrate



## FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD:  
OXIDIZING AGENT: MAY CAUSE IGNITION, VIOLENT COMBUSTION OR EXPLOSION WHEN IN CONTACT WITH EASILY OXIDIZABLE SUBSTANCES; INCREASES THE FLAMMABILITY OF COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS.

FLASH POINT: NON-FLAMMABLE

FIREFIGHTING MEDIA:  
DRY CHEMICAL, CARBON DIOXIDE OR WATER SPRAY  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FOR LARGE FIRES, USE WATER SPRAY OR FOG  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FIREFIGHTING:  
MOVE CONTAINERS FROM FIRE AREA IF POSSIBLE. COOL CONTAINERS EXPOSED TO FLAMES WITH WATER FROM SIDE UNTIL WELL AFTER FIRE IS OUT. FOR MASSIVE FIRE IN STORAGE AREA, USE UNMANNED HOSE HOLDER OR MONITOR NOZZLES; ELSE WITHDRAW FROM AREA AND LET FIRE BURN (1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FLOOD WITH WATER. COOL CONTAINERS WITH FLOODING AMOUNTS OF WATER FROM AS FAR A DISTANCE AS POSSIBLE. AVOID BREATHING VAPORS OR DUSTS. EVACUATE TO A RADIUS OF 2500 FEET FOR UNCONTROLLABLE FIRES (BUREAU OF EXPLOSIVES, EMERGENCY HANDLING OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS IN SURFACE TRANSPORTATION, 1981).

## TOXICITY

3015 MG/KG ORAL-RABBIT LD50; 100 MG/KG INTRAVENOUS-CAT LDLO; MUTAGENIC DATA (RTEC); TERATOGENIC DATA (RTEC); CARCINOGENIC STATUS: NONE.  
POTASSIUM NITRATE IS AN EYE, MUCOUS MEMBRANE, AND SKIN IRRITANT. POISONING AFFECTS THE BLOOD.

## HEALTH EFFECTS AND FIRST AID

INHALATION:  
IRRITANT.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- COUGHING, DYSPNEA, DIZZINESS, HEADACHE, FLUSHING OF THE SKIN, NAUSEA, VOMITING, SHOCK, MARKED HYPOTENSION, CYANOSIS, CONVULSIONS, COMA, AND RESPIRATORY PARALYSIS MAY OCCUR.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE SYMPTOMS AS WITH ACUTE INHALATION.

FIRST AID- REMOVE FROM EXPOSURE AREA TO FRESH AIR IMMEDIATELY. IF BREATHING HAS STOPPED, GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. MAINTAIN AIRWAY AND BLOOD PRESSURE AND ADMINISTER OXYGEN IF AVAILABLE. KEEP AFFECTED PERSON WARM AND AT REST. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION. TREAT METHEMOGLOBINEMIA. (DREISBACH, HANDBOOK OF POISONING, 11TH ED.) OXYGEN AND METHEMOGLOBINEMIA TREATMENT MUST BE ADMINISTERED BY QUALIFIED MEDICAL PERSONNEL.

SKIN CONTACT:  
IRRITANT.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- DIRECT CONTACT MAY CAUSE IRRITATION. ABSORPTION MAY CAUSE SYMPTOMS AS WITH ACUTE INHALATION.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE DERMATITIS. ABSORPTION MAY CAUSE SYMPTOMS AS WITH ACUTE INHALATION.

FIRST AID- REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES IMMEDIATELY. WASH AFFECTED AREA WITH SOAP OR MILD DETERGENT AND LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES). GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

EYE CONTACT:  
IRRITATION.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- DIRECT CONTACT MAY CAUSE IRRITATION, REDNESS, PAIN.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE CONJUNCTIVITIS.

FIRST AID- WASH EYES IMMEDIATELY WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER, OCCASIONALLY LIFTING UPPER AND LOWER LIDS, UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES). GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

INGESTION:  
IRRITANT.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- ABDOMINAL SPASM, NAUSEA, VOMITING, DIARRHEA, DIURESIS, MARKED HYPOTENSION, FAINTNESS, MUSCLE SPASMS, CYANOSIS, CONVULSION, COLLAPSE, COMA, BLOOD DISORDERS, AND RESPIRATORY PARALYSIS ARE POSSIBLE.

FIRST AID- IF VICTIM IS CONSCIOUS, IMMEDIATELY GIVE 2 TO 4 GLASSES OF WATER, AND INDUCE VOMITING BY TOUCHING FINGER TO BACK OF THROAT. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

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#### REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY:  
MAY REACT WITH REDUCING AGENTS AND INCOMPATIBLE SUBSTANCES.

#### INCOMPATIBILITIES:

EXPLOSION: PHOSPHORUS.

EXPLOSION BY HEATING: ANTIMONY TRISULFIDE, METALS: POTASSIUM, TITANIUM, ANTIMONY, GERMANIUM, ZIRCONIUM, ZINC, ETC., METAL SULFIDES: SULFIDES OF ANTIMONY, BARIUM, CALCIUM, GERMANIUM, ETC., SODIUM THIOSULFATE, TRICOPPER DI-PHOSPHIDE, TITANIUM DISULFIDE, SODIUM ACETATE AND TARTRATES, OXALATES AND CITRATES, BIS(TRICHLOROMETHYL)BENZENE.

EXPLOSION BY IMPACT: COPPER MONOPHOSPHIDE, LEAD PHOSPHITE, LEAD NITRATE.

EXPLOSION AFTER LONG CONTACT: TIN, SOLDER, TIN PLATE, STANNATES.

EXPLOSION ON DISSOLVING: SODIUM HYPOSULFITE.

POSSIBLE EXPLOSION: SODIUM PEROXIDE AND DEXTROSE.

VIOLENT OR INTENSE COMBUSTION: CARBON, COPPER PHOSPHIDE.

IGNITION: CALCIUM SILICIDE, BORON PHOSPHIDE.

INCANDESCENT COMBUSTION BY HEATING IN AIR: THORIUM CARBIDE.

FORMATION OF EXPLOSIVE MIXTURE: ARSENIC DISULFIDE, ARSENIC, SODIUM HYPOPHOSPHITE, SODIUM THIOSULFATE, SODIUM ACETATE, SULFUR AND DIARSENIC TRISULFIDE.

FORMATION OF PYROTECHNIC MIXTURE: CHARCOAL, SULFUR AND ARSENIC TRISULFIDE.

FORMATION OF IGNITABLE MIXTURE: CARBON, BORON, CALCIUM DISILICIDE.

INCANDESCENT REACTION: SELENIUM, TITANIUM.

**DECOMPOSITION:**

THERMAL DECOMPOSITION RELEASES FLAMMABLE OXYGEN AND TOXIC NITROGEN DIOXIDE.

**POLYMERIZATION:**

NOT KNOWN TO OCCUR.

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**CONDITIONS TO AVOID**

MAY IGNITE OTHER COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS (WOOD, PAPER, OIL, ETC.). REACTION WITH FUELS MAY BE VIOLENT. RUNOFF TO SEWER MAY CREATE FIRE OR EXPLOSION HAZARD.

CONSULT NFPA PUBLICATION 43A, STORAGE OF LIQUID AND SOLID OXIDIZING MATERIALS, FOR STORAGE REQUIREMENTS.

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**SPILL AND LEAK PROCEDURES**

**OCCUPATIONAL SPILL:**

KEEP COMBUSTIBLES (WOOD, PAPER, OIL, ETC) AWAY FROM SPILLED MATERIAL. DO NOT TOUCH SPILLED MATERIAL. FOR SMALL DRY SPILLS, WITH CLEAN SHOVEL PLACE MATERIAL INTO CLEAN, DRY CONTAINER AND COVER; MOVE CONTAINERS FROM SPILL AREA. FOR SMALL LIQUID SPILLS, TAKE UP WITH SAND, EARTH OR OTHER ABSORBENT MATERIAL AND PLACE INTO CONTAINERS FOR LATER DISPOSAL. FOR LARGER SPILLS, DIKE FAR AHEAD OF SPILL FOR LATER DISPOSAL. KEEP UNNECESSARY PEOPLE AWAY. ISOLATE HAZARD AREA AND DENY ENTRY.

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**PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**

**VENTILATION:**

PROCESS ENCLOSURE, LOCAL EXHAUST, OR GENERAL DILUTION VENTILATION SYSTEM.

**RESPIRATOR:**

HIGH LEVELS- DUST MASK.

**FIRE FIGHTING- SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE**

OPERATED IN PRESSURE-DEMAND OR OTHER POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE.

**CLOTHING:**

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT TO PREVENT ANY POSSIBILITY OF SKIN CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

**GLOVES:**

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE GLOVES TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

**EYE PROTECTION:**

EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR SPLASH-PROOF OR DUST-RESISTANT SAFETY GOGGLES TO PREVENT EYE CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

\*\*POTASSIUM NITRATE\*\*

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BATAVIA, IL 60510

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MANUFACTURERS CODE IDENTIFICATION: 32R34-2 6/21/84  
PRODUCT FAMILY: VINYL COATING  
TRADE NAME: 323 RED STOP OFF

\* SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS \*

| INGREDIENT          | PERCENT<br>BY WT. | PPM   | TLV<br>MG/CU. M | LEL | VAPOR PRESSURE<br>MM HG @ 20 DEG. C |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------|-----------------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| METHYL ETHYL KETONE | 41.68             | 200   |                 | 2.0 | 70.00                               |
| ACETONE             | 24.96             | 1,000 |                 | 2.6 | 186.00                              |
| PROPYLENE OXIDE     | .22               | 100   |                 | 2.1 | 442.00                              |

\* SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA \*

BOILING RANGE: 94 TO 176 DEG. F VAPOR DENSITY: HEAVIER THAN AIR  
EVAPORATION RATE: SLOWER THAN ETHER % VOLATILE BY VOLUME: 79.06%  
WEIGHT PER GALLON: 7.87

\* SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA \*

FLAMMABILITY CLASSIFICATION: FLAMMABLE LIQUID - CLASS IC LEL: SEE  
FLASHPOINT: 10 F SECTION II

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:  
CARBON DIOXIDE, FOAM, DRY CHEMICAL

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:  
STORE BELOW 120 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:  
WEAR SELF CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS.

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\* SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA \*

THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE: SEE SECTION II

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE:

ACUTE

HEADACHE, DIZZINESS, NAUSEA, SEVERE EYE IRRITATION ON CONTACT

CHRONIC

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES:

EYE CONTACT: FLUSH WITH WATER

SKIN CONTACT: WASH WITH SOAPY WATER

INHALATION: REMOVE TO FRESH AIR

\* SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA \*

STABILITY: STABLE

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: N/A

INCOMPATIBILITY - MATERIALS TO AVOID:  
UNKNOWN

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION WILL NOT OCCUR

CONDITIONS TO AVOID:  
N/A

\* SECTION VII - SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES \*

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED:

REMOVE ALL SOURCES OF IGNITION. VENTILATE AREAS. REMOVE WITH INERT,  
ABSORBENT AND NON-SPARKING TOOLS.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:

INCINERATE IN AN APPROVED FACILITY. DO NOT INCINERATE IN CLOSED  
CONTAINER.

\* SECTION VIII - SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION \*

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:

VENTILATE WORKING SPACES TO BELOW THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE. IF LOCAL  
EXHAUST NOT AVAILABLE, USE BUREAU OF MINES APPROVED RESPIRATORY DEVICE  
SEE BUREAU OF MINES IC 8436. SUPT. OF DOCUMENTS.

VENTILATION:

LOCAL EXHAUST TO MAINTAIN VAPOR CONCENTRATION BELOW THRESHOLD LIMIT  
VALUE.

PROTECTIVE GLOVES:

REQUIRED FOR REPEATED OR PROLONGED CONTACT.

EYE PROTECTION:

PROTECTIVE GOGGLES OR MASK REQUIRED TO PROTECT AGAINST SPLASH.

OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

EYE BATH RECOMMENDED.

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\* SECTION IX - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS \*

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE:  
STORE BELOW 120 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT.

DOL STORAGE CATEGORY: OSHA CLASSIFICATION 29 CFR 1910.106(A)  
PARTS 18-19. REFER TO SECTION IV.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS:  
AVOID EXPOSURE TO VAPORS. GROUND CONTAINER WHILE POURING, MINIMIZE  
DISTANCE OF FREE FALL TO AVOID STATIC ELECTRICITY GENERATION.

NOTE: PERCENTAGES SHOWN IN SECTION II AS .00% MAY OR MAY NOT BE  
PRESENT IN TRACE AMOUNTS DUE TO NORMAL VARIATION IN RAW  
MATERIALS OR MANUFACTURING PROCESS.

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## SECTION I

|   |   |  |
|---|---|--|
| MANUFACTURER'S NAME<br><b>CALGON COMMERCIAL DIVISION</b>  |   | EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NO.<br><b>(314) 862-2000</b> |
| ADDRESS (Number, Street, City, State, and ZIP Code) <b>7501 PAGE AVE, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI 63166</b> |   |  |
| CHEMICAL NAME AND SYNONYMS  | TRADE NAME AND SYNONYMS<br><b>Sparkleen</b> |  |
| CHEMICAL FAMILY   | FORMULA<br><b>Multi-Component Mixture</b>   |  |

## SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

|  | %     | TLV<br>(Units) |
|--|-------|----------------|
| Sodium Hexametaphosphate                 | 44.5% |                |
| Sodium Bicarbonate                       | 30.0% |                |
| Sodium Carbonate                         | 15.0% |                |
| Nonylphenoxypoly (ethyleneoxy) ethanol   | 5.5%  |                |
| Sodium Alkyl Aryl Sulfonate - 40% Active | 4.0%  |                |
| Sodium Sulfate                           | 6.0%  |                |

## SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA

|                         |                                      |                                       |           |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| BOILING POINT (°F.)     | N/A                                  | SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H <sub>2</sub> O=1) | N/A       |
| VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg.) | N/A                                  | PERCENT VOLATILE BY VOLUME (%)        | N/A       |
| VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1)   | N/A                                  | EVAPORATION RATE (_____=1)            | N/A       |
| SOLUBILITY IN WATER     | Complete                             | pH (1%)                               | 9.3 - 9.8 |
| APPEARANCE AND ODOR     | White, granular, free flowing solid. |                                       |           |

## SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

|                                    |   |                  |     |     |
|------------------------------------|---|------------------|-----|-----|
| FLASH POINT (Method used)          | Not Flammable                                     | FLAMMABLE LIMITS | LFL | UFL |
| EXTINGUISHING MEDIA                | Product is not flammable                          |                  |     |     |
| SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES   | Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. |                  |     |     |
|                                    | Respiratory protection is essential.              |                  |     |     |
| UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS | None  |                  |     |     |

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Only ingredients exhibiting a particular hazard will be listed on this form. Chemicals not classified as hazardous according to OSHA Guidelines as they are specified in 29 CFR, 1915.2 or 1916.2 will not be listed although one or more may be a constituent of this product.

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CONTACT YOUR LOCAL FISHER  
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## SECTION I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: SULFURIC ACID  
FORMULA: H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>  
FORMULA WT: 98.08  
CAS NO.: 07664-93-9  
NICSH/RTECS NO.: W55600000  
COMMON SYNONYMS: OIL OF VITRIOL  
PRODUCT CODES: 5030, 9691, 9675, 9340, 9679, 9674, 9686, 9681, 5374, 9688, 9673, 5432  
5137, 9635, 4802, 9684, 9683, 5643, 9680, 9694

## PRECAUTIONARY LABELLING

BAKER SAF-T-DATA(TM) SYSTEM

|              |   |   |                  |
|--------------|---|---|------------------|
| HEALTH       | - | 3 | (POISON)         |
| FLAMMABILITY | - | 0 |                  |
| REACTIVITY   | - | 3 | (WATER REACTIVE) |
| CONTACT      | - | 4 | (CORROSIVE)      |

## LABORATORY PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

GOGGLES & SHIELD; LAB COAT & APRON; VENT HOOD; PROPER GLOVES

## PRECAUTIONARY LABEL STATEMENTS

POISON DANGER  
CAUSES SEVERE BURNS  
MAY BE FATAL IF SWALLOWED

DO NOT GET IN EYES, ON SKIN, ON CLOTHING.  
AVOID BREATHING VAPOR. KEEP IN TIGHTLY CLOSED CONTAINER. USE WITH ADEQUATE  
VENTILATION. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING.

## SECTION II - HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS

| COMPONENT     | %      | CAS NO.   |
|---------------|--------|-----------|
| SULFURIC ACID | 90-100 | 7664-93-9 |

## SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA

|  |                               |                                     |     |
|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----|
| BOILING POINT:                         | 290 C ( 554 F)                | VAPOR PRESSURE(MM HG):              | N/A |
| MELTING POINT:                         | 3 C ( 37 F)                   | VAPOR DENSITY(AIR=1):               | 3.4 |
| SPECIFIC GRAVITY: (H <sub>2</sub> O=1) | 1.84                          | EVAPORATION RATE: (BUTYL ACETATE=1) | N/A |
| SOLUBILITY(H <sub>2</sub> O):          | COMPLETE (IN ALL PROPORTIONS) | % VOLATILES BY VOLUME:              | N/A |

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SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA (CONTINUED)

APPEARANCE & ODOR: CLEAR, COLORLESS TO LIGHT YELLOW, OILY ODORLESS LIQUID.

SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT: N/A NFPA 704M RATING: 3-0-2

FIRE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

USE DRY CHEMICAL OR CARBON DIOXIDE. DO NOT USE WATER.

SPECIAL FIRE-FIGHTING PROCEDURES

FIREFIGHTERS SHOULD WEAR PROPER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH FULL FACEPIECE OPERATED IN POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE. DO NOT GET WATER INSIDE CONTAINERS.

UNUSUAL FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS

A VIOLENT EXOTHERMIC REACTION OCCURS WITH WATER. SUFFICIENT HEAT MAY BE PRODUCED TO IGNITE COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS.

TOXIC GASES PRODUCED

SULFUR DIOXIDE

SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE (TLV/TWA): 1 MG/M3 ( PPM)

TOXICITY: LD50 (ORAL-RAT)(MG/KG) - 2140

EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE

LIQUID MAY CAUSE SEVERE BURNS TO SKIN AND EYES.

INHALATION OF VAPORS MAY CAUSE COUGHING, CHEST PAINS, DIFFICULTY BREATHING OR UNCONSCIOUSNESS.

INGESTION MAY BE FATAL.

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

CALL A PHYSICIAN.

IF SWALLOWED, DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING; IF CONSCIOUS, GIVE WATER, MILK, OR MILK OF MAGNESIA.

IN CASE OF CONTACT, IMMEDIATELY FLUSH EYES OR SKIN WITH PLENTY OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES WHILE REMOVING CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES.

WASH CLOTHING BEFORE RE-USE.

SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: STABLE

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: MOISTURE

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SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA (CONTINUED)

INCOMPATIBLES: WATER, MOST COMMON METALS, ORGANIC MATERIALS,  
STRONG REDUCING AGENTS, COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS,  
STRONG BASES

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: OXIDES OF SULFUR

SECTION VII - SPILL AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN THE EVENT OF A SPILL OR DISCHARGE  
WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS AND FULL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING.  
STOP LEAK IF YOU CAN DO SO WITHOUT RISK. DO NOT USE WATER.  
NEUTRALIZE SPILL AND/OR WASHINGS WITH SODA ASH OR LIME.  
WITH CLEAN SHOVEL, PLACE MATERIAL INTO CLEAN, DRY CONTAINER AND COVER.  
MOVE CONTAINER(S) FROM SPILL AREA.

J. T. BAKER NEUTRASORB(R) OR NEUTRASOL(R) "LOW NA+" ACID NEUTRALIZERS  
ARE RECOMMENDED FOR SPILLS OF THIS PRODUCT.

DISPOSAL PROCEDURE

DISPOSE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL  
ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS.

EPA HAZARDOUS WASTE NUMBER: D002, D003 (CORROSIVE, REACTIVE WASTE)

SECTION VIII - PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

VENTILATION: USE GENERAL OR LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION TO MEET  
TLV REQUIREMENTS.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: NONE REQUIRED WHERE APPROPRIATE VENTILATION  
CONDITIONS EXIST. IF THE TLV IS EXCEEDED, A SELF-  
CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS IS ADVISED.

EYE/SKIN PROTECTION: SAFETY GOGGLES AND FACE SHIELD, UNIFORM,  
PROTECTIVE SUIT, RUBBER GLOVES ARE RECOMMENDED.

SECTION IX - STORAGE AND HANDLING PRECAUTIONS

SAF-T-DATA(TM) STORAGE COLOR CODE: WHITE

SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED. STORE IN CORROSION-PROOF AREA.  
KEEP CONTAINERS OUT OF SUN AND AWAY FROM HEAT.

SECTION X - TRANSPORTATION DATA AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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| PROPER SHIPPING NAME | SULFURIC ACID               |
| HAZARD CLASS         | CORROSIVE MATERIAL (LIQUID) |
| UN/NA                | UN1830                      |
| LABELS               | CORROSIVE                   |
| REPORTABLE QUANTITY  | 1000 LBS.                   |

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|                      |                |
|----------------------|----------------|
| PROPER SHIPPING NAME | SULPHURIC ACID |
| HAZARD CLASS         | 8              |
| UN/NA                | UN1830         |
| LABELS               | CORROSIVE      |

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CAS-NUMBER 7664-93-9

SUBSTANCE: \*\*SULFURIC ACID\*\*

TRADE NAMES/SYNONYMS: OIL OF VITRIOL; BOV; DIPPING ACID; VITRIOL BROWN OIL;  
HYDROGEN SULFATE; NORDHAUSEN ACID; A-300; A-300C; A-300-SI; A-300S; A-298;  
SO-A-172; SO-A-174

CHEMICAL FAMILY:  
INORGANIC ACID

MOLECULAR FORMULA: H<sub>2</sub>S-O<sub>4</sub> MOL WT: 98.07

CERCLA RATINGS (SCALE 0-3): HEALTH=3 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=2 PERSISTENCE=0

COMPONENTS AND CONTAMINANTS

PERCENT: 98 COMPONENT: SULFURIC ACID

PERCENT: 2 COMPONENT: WATER

OTHER CONTAMINANTS: NONE.

EXPOSURE LIMITS:

1 MG/M3 OSHA TWA; 1 MG/M3 ACGIH TWA;  
1 MG/M3 NIOSH RECOMMENDED TWA

PHYSICAL DATA

DESCRIPTION: COLORLESS TO DARK BROWN OILY LIQUID

BOILING POINT: 536 F (280 C) MELTING POINT: 37 F (3 C)

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.8 VAPOR PRESSURE: 0.001 @ 20 C

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Sulfuric  
Acid

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SOLUBILITY IN WATER: SOLUBLE SOLVENT SOLUBILITY: DECOMPOSES IN ALCOHOL  
ODOR THRESHOLD: 1 MG/M3 VAPOR DENSITY: 3.4

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#### FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD:  
NEGLECTIBLE FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD WHEN EXPOSED TO HEAT OR FLAME.

FLASH POINT: NON-FLAMMABLE

FIREFIGHTING MEDIA:  
DRY CHEMICAL OR CARBON DIOXIDE  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FOR LARGER FIRES, FLOOD AREA WITH WATER FROM A DISTANCE  
(1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

FIREFIGHTING:  
MOVE CONTAINERS FROM FIRE AREA IF POSSIBLE. COOL CONTAINERS EXPOSED TO FLAMES  
WITH WATER FROM SIDE UNTIL WELL AFTER FIRE IS OUT (1984 EMERGENCY RESPONSE  
GUIDEBOOK, DOT P 5800.3).

EXTINGUISH USING AGENTS INDICATED; DO NOT USE WATER DIRECTLY ON MATERIAL.  
IF LARGE AMOUNTS OF COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS ARE INVOLVED, USE WATER SPRAY  
OR FOG IN FLOODING AMOUNTS. USE WATER SPRAY TO ABSORB CORROSIVE VAPORS.  
COOL CONTAINERS WITH FLOODING AMOUNTS OF WATER FROM AS FAR A DISTANCE AS  
POSSIBLE. AVOID BREATHING CORROSIVE VAPORS; KEEP UPWIND (BUREAU OF EXPLOSIVES,  
EMERGENCY HANDLING OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS IN SURFACE TRANSPORTATION, 1981).

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#### TOXICITY

135 MG/KG UNKNOWN-MAN LDLO; 2140 MG/KG ORAL-RAT LD50; 18 MG/M3/8 HOURS  
INHALATION-GUINEA PIG LC50; CARCINOGEN STATUS: NONE.  
SULFURIC ACID IS A SEVERE EYE, PULMONARY, AND SKIN IRRITANT.

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#### HEALTH EFFECTS AND FIRST AID

INHALATION:  
CORROSIVE/TOXIC. 80 MG/M3 IS IMMEDIATELY DANGEROUS TO LIFE AND HEALTH.  
ACUTE EXPOSURE- EXPOSURE TO CONCENTRATIONS CONTAINING 5 MG/M3 MAY CAUSE  
NOSE AND THROAT IRRITATION, HEADACHE, COUGH, AN INCREASE IN RESPIRATORY  
RATE OR IMPAIRMENT OF VENTILATORY CAPACITY. DELAYED SYMPTOMS MAY INCLUDE  
- INCLUDE PULMONARY EDEMA, TIGHTNESS IN THE CHEST, CYANOSIS, HYPOTENSION,  
BRONCHITIS, OR EMPHYSEMA.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED EXPOSURE TO THE MIST CAUSES CHRONIC TRACHEO-  
BRONCHITIS, EROSION AND DISCOLORATION OF THE TEETH, BRONCHIAL PNEUMONIA,  
OR GASTROINTESTINAL DISTURBANCES.

SKIN CONTACT:

-CORROSIVE.

- ACUTE EXPOSURE- CONTACT MAY CAUSE SEVERE IRRITATION AND PAIN, BURNS, AND  
VESICULATION.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE TO THE LIQUID OR MIST MAY CAUSE IRRITATION AND DERMATITIS.

FIRST AID- REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES IMMEDIATELY. WASH AFFECTED AREA WITH SOAP OR MILD DETERGENT AND LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS, (APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES). IN CASE OF CHEMICAL BURNS, COVER THE AREAS WITH STERILE, DRY DRESSING. BANDAGE SECURELY, BUT NOT TOO TIGHTLY. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

EYE CONTACT:  
CORROSIVE.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- DIRECT CONTACT WITH THE CONCENTRATED ACID SOLUTION MAY CAUSE SEVERE DAMAGE, OFTEN LEADING TO BLINDNESS. DILUTE SOLUTIONS PRODUCE MORE TRANSIENT EFFECTS FROM WHICH RECOVERY MAY BE COMPLETE. EXPOSURE TO THE MIST CAUSES EYE IRRITATION AND LACRIMATION.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE- REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE CONJUNCTIVITIS, AND LACRIMATION.

FIRST AID- WASH EYES IMMEDIATELY WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER, OCCASIONALLY LIFTING THE UPPER AND LOWER LIDS, UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (APPROXIMATELY 15-20 MINUTES). IN CASE OF BURNS, APPLY STERILE BANDAGES LOOSELY WITHOUT MEDICATION. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

INGESTION:  
CORROSIVE.

ACUTE EXPOSURE- SEVERE BURNING PAIN IN THE MOUTH, THROAT, AND ABDOMEN FOLLOWED BY VOMITING AND DIARRHEA OF DARK, PRECIPITATED BLOOD. ASPHYXIA MAY OCCUR FROM SMELLING OF THE THROAT. PERFORATION OF THE ESOPHAGUS AND STOMACH MAY OCCUR.

FIRST AID- IF VICTIM IS CONSCIOUS, GIVE LARGE QUANTITIES OF WATER IMMEDIATELY TO DILUTE THE ACID. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

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REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY:  
VIOLENT EXOTHERMIC REACTION WITH WATER AND ORGANIC MATERIALS. MAY IGNITE FINELY DIVIDED COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS ON CONTACT.

INCOMPATIBILITIES:

ACETIC ANHYDRIDE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.

ACETONE CYANHYDRIN: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION.

ACETONE AND NITRIC ACID: ACETONE WILL DECOMPOSE VIOLENTLY WHEN BROUGHT IN CONTACT WITH MIXED SULFURIC-NITRIC ACIDS.

ACETONE AND POTASSIUM DICHROMATE: IGNITION.  
ACETONITRILE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.

ACROLEIN: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.

ACRYLONITRILE: VIGOROUS EXOTHERMIC REACTION.

ALCOHOLS AND HYDROGEN PEROXIDE: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION.

ALLYL ALCOHOL: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.



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ALLYL CHLORIDE: ALLYL CHLORIDE MAY VIOLENTLY POLYMERIZE.  
2-AMINOETHANOL: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
AMMONIUM TRIPERCHROMATE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
ANILINE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
BROMATES AND METALS: POSSIBLE IGNITION AND FIRE.  
BROMINE PENTAFLUORIDE: VIOLENT REACTION.  
N-BUTYRALDEHYDE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
CARBIDES: CONCENTRATED SULFURIC ACID IS EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS IN CONTACT WITH CARBIDES.  
CESIUM ACETYLENE CARBIDE: IGNITION.  
CHLORATES: ALL CHLORATES, WHEN BROUGHT IN CONTACT WITH SULFURIC ACID MAY GIVE OFF EXPLOSIVE CHLORINE DIOXIDE GAS. A VIOLENT EXPLOSION IS USUAL.  
CHLORATES AND METALS: IGNITION LIKELY.  
CHLORINE TRIFLUORIDE: VIOLENT EXPLOSION.  
CHLOROSULFONIC ACID: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
CUPROUS NITRIDE: VIOLENT REACTION.  
DIISOBUTYLENE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
DIMETHYLBENZYL CARBINOL AND HYDROGEN PEROXIDE: EXPLOSION.  
EPICHLOROHYDRIN: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
ETHANOL AND HYDROGEN PEROXIDE: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION.  
ETHYLENE CYANOHYDRIN: VIOLENT REACTION.  
ETHYLENE DIAMINE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
ETHYLENE GLYCOL: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
ETHYLENIMINE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
FULMINATES: SULFURIC ACID IS EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS IN CONTACT WITH FULMINATES.  
HYDROCHLORIC ACID: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
HYDROFLUORIC ACID: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
IODINE HEPTAFLUORIDE: THE ACID BECOMES EFFERVESCENT.  
INDANE AND NITRIC ACID: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION.  
IRON: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION DUE TO HYDROGEN GAS FROM THE ACID-METAL REACTION.  
ISOPRENE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMP. & PRESSURE.  
LITHIUM SILICIDE: INCANDESCENT REACTION.  
MERCURIC NITRIDE: EXPLOSION.  
-MESITYL OXIDE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
METALS (POWDERED): CONTACT WITH SULFURIC ACID IS EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS.  
NITRIC ACID AND GLYCERIDES: EXPLOSION.  
P-NITROTOLUENE: EXPLOSION.  
PENTASILVER TRIHYDROXYDIAMINOPHOSPHATE: EXPLOSION.  
PERCHLORATES: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION.  
PERCHLORIC ACID: FORMATION OF DANGEROUS ANHYDROUS PERCHLORIC ACID.  
-PERMANGANATES AND BENZENE: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION.  
-1-PHENYL-2-METHYL-PROPYL ALCOHOL AND HYDROGEN PEROXIDE: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION.  
PHOSPHORUS: YELLOW PHOSPHORUS IGNITES WHEN PLACED IN BOILING CONCENTRATED

SULFURIC ACID.

PHOSPHORUS ISOCYANATE: VIOLENT REACTION.  
 PICRATES: CONTACT WITH CONCENTRATED SULFURIC ACID IS EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS.  
 POTASSIUM TERT-BUTOXIDE: IGNITION.  
 POTASSIUM CHLORATE: POSSIBLE FIRE AND EXPLOSION.  
 POTASSIUM PERMANGANATE: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION IN THE PRESENCE OF MOISTURE.  
 POTASSIUM PERMANGANATE AND POTASSIUM CHLORIDE: VIOLENT EXPLOSION.  
 BETA-PROPIOLACTONE: MIXTURES IN CLOSED CONTAINERS CAUSED AN INCREASE IN  
 TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
 PROPYLENE OXIDE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN  
 TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
 PYRIDINE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE AND  
 PRESSURE.  
 RUBIDIUM ACETYLENE CARBIDE: BURNS WITH SULFURIC ACID.  
 SILVER PERMANGANATE: EXPLOSION.  
 SODIUM: REACTS WITH EXPLOSIVE VIOLENCE.  
 SODIUM CARBONATE: VIOLENT REACTION.  
 SODIUM CHLORATE: POSSIBLE FIRE OR EXPLOSION.  
 SODIUM HYDROXIDE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN  
 TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
 STEEL: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION DUE TO HYDROGEN GAS FROM THE ACID-METAL REACTION.  
 STYRENE MONOMER: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN  
 TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE.  
 TOLUENE AND NITRIC ACID: VIOLENT REACTION.  
 VINYL ACETATE: MIXING IN A CLOSED CONTAINER CAUSED AN INCREASE IN TEMPERATURE  
 AND PRESSURE.  
 ZINC CHLORATE: LIKELY TO CAUSE FIRES AND EXPLOSIONS.

DECOMPOSITION:

THERMAL DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS INCLUDE HIGHLY TOXIC FUMES OF SULFUR OXIDES.

POLYMERIZATION:

NOT KNOWN TO OCCUR.

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 CONDITIONS TO AVOID

MAY IGNITE OTHER COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS (WOOD, PAPER, OIL, ETC.). VIOLENT  
 REACTION WITH WATER. FLAMMABLE, POISONOUS GASES MAY ACCUMULATE IN CONFINED  
 SPACES. RUNOFF TO SEWER MAY CREATE FIRE OR EXPLOSION HAZARD.

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 SPILL AND LEAK PROCEDURES

SOIL SPILL:

DIG HOLDING AREA SUCH AS LAGOON, POND OR PIT FOR CONTAINMENT.

—DIKE FLOW OF SPILLED MATERIAL USING SOIL OR SANDBAGS OR FOAMED BARRIERS SUCH  
 AS POLYURETHANE OR CONCRETE.

USE CEMENT POWDER OR FLY ASH TO ABSORB LIQUID MASS.

NEUTRALIZE SPILL WITH SLAKED LIME, SODIUM BICARBONATE OR CRUSHED LIMESTONE.

—AIR SPILL:

—KNOCK DOWN VAPORS WITH WATER SPRAY. KEEP UPWIND.

WATER SPILL:  
NEUTRALIZE WITH AGRICULTURAL LIME, SLAKED LIME, CRUSHED LIMESTONE, OR SODIUM BICARBONATE.

ADD SUITABLE AGENT TO NEUTRALIZE SPILLED MATERIAL TO PH-7.

OCCUPATIONAL SPILL:  
KEEP COMBUSTIBLES (WOOD, PAPER, OIL, ETC.) AWAY FROM SPILLED MATERIAL. DO NOT TOUCH SPILLED MATERIAL. DO NOT GET WATER INSIDE CONTAINER. STOP LEAK IF YOU CAN DO IT WITHOUT RISK. USE WATER SPRAY TO REDUCE VAPORS. DO NOT PUT WATER ON LEAK OR SPILL AREA. CLEAN UP ONLY UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF AN EXPERT. DIKE SPILL FOR LATER DISPOSAL. DO NOT APPLY WATER UNLESS DIRECTED TO DO SO. KEEP UNNECESSARY PEOPLE AWAY. ISOLATE HAZARD AREA AND DENY ENTRY. VENTILATE CLOSED SPACES BEFORE ENTERING.

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PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

VENTILATION:  
PROVIDE LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION SYSTEM TO MEET PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMITS.

RESPIRATOR:  
50 MG/M3- GAS MASK WITH A CHIN-STYLE, FRONT, OR BACK-MOUNTED ACID GAS CANISTER AND A HIGH-EFFICIENCY PARTICULATE FILTER.  
HIGH-EFFICIENCY PARTICULATE RESPIRATOR WITH A FULL FACEPIECE.  
SUPPLIED-AIR RESPIRATOR WITH A FULL FACEPIECE, HELMET, OR HOOD.  
SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE.  
100 MG/M3- TYPE C SUPPLIED-AIR RESPIRATOR WITH A FULL FACEPIECE OPERATED IN PRESSURE-DEMAND OR OTHER POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE OR WITH A FULL FACEPIECE, HELMET, OR HOOD OPERATED IN CONTINUOUS-FLOW MODE.

ESCAPE- GAS MASK WITH A CHIN-STYLE, FRONT, OR BACK-MOUNTED ACID GAS CANISTER AND A HIGH-EFFICIENCY PARTICULATE FILTER.  
SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS.

FIREFIGHTING- SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE OPERATED IN PRESSURE-DEMAND OR OTHER POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE.

CLOTHING:  
WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING TO AVOID ANY POSSIBILITY OF SKIN CONTACT WITH LIQUIDS CONTAINING MORE THAN 1% SULFURIC ACID. AVOID REPEATED OR PROLONGED SKIN CONTACT WITH LIQUIDS CONTAINING 1% OR LESS SULFURIC ACID.

GLOVES:  
EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE GLOVES TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

EYE PROTECTION:  
EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR SPLASH-PROOF OR DUST-RESISTANT SAFETY GOGGLES AND A FACESHIELD TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

WHERE THERE IS ANY POSSIBILITY THAT AN EMPLOYEE'S EYES MAY BE EXPOSED TO THIS SUBSTANCE, THE EMPLOYER SHALL PROVIDE AN EYE-WASH FOUNTAIN WITHIN THE IMMEDIATE WORK AREA FOR EMERGENCY USE.

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SUBSTANCE IDENTIFICATION

SUBSTANCE: \*\*ZINC REFERENCE SOLUTION 1,000 PPM ZN\*\*

TRADE NAMES/SYNONYMS: OHS40209

CERCLA RATINGS (SCALE 0-3): HEALTH=3 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=0

COMPONENTS AND CONTAMINANTS

PERCENT: 6.5 COMPONENT: NITRIC ACID H-N-03  
CAS 7697-37-2

PERCENT: 93.4 COMPONENT: WATER

PERCENT: 0.1 COMPONENT: ZINC OXIDE ZN-0  
CAS 1314-13-2

OTHER CONTAMINANTS: NONE

EXPOSURE LIMITS:

NITRIC ACID:

2 PPM (5 MG/KG) OSHA TWA; 2 PPM ACGIH TWA; 4 PPM ACGIH STEL;  
2 PPM NIOSH RECOMMENDED TWA

PHYSICAL DATA

DESCRIPTION: COLORLESS LIQUID BOILING POINT: 212 F (100 C)

MELTING POINT: 32 F (0 C) SPECIFIC GRAVITY: 1.1

VAPOR PRESSURE: 14 MMHG (WATER) EVAPORATION RATE: (ETHER = 1) >1

PH: ACIDIC SOLUBILITY IN WATER: MISCIBLE VAPOR DENSITY: 0.7 (WATER)

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*Zinc Reference  
Solution*

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TRANSPORTATION DATA

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION HAZARD CLASSIFICATION 49CFR172.101:  
CORROSIVE MATERIAL

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION LABELING REQUIREMENTS 49CFR172.101 AND 172.402:  
CORROSIVE

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TOXICITY

NITRIC ACID: 430 MG/KG ORAL-HUMAN LDLO; 110 MG/KG UNKNOWN-MAN LDLO;  
CARCINOGEN STATUS: NONE; TOXIC AND SEVERE EYE, SKIN AND MUCOUS MEMBRANE  
IRRITANT.

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HEALTH EFFECTS AND FIRST AID

INHALATION:

-CORROSIVE.

100 PPM IS IMMEDIATELY DANGEROUS TO LIFE OR HEALTH.

ACUTE EXPOSURE

NITRIC ACID: MAY CAUSE COUGHING, HEADACHE, DIZZINESS, AND WEAKNESS.  
DELAYED SYMPTOMS MAY INCLUDE DRYNESS OF THE THROAT AND NOSE, CHEST PAIN  
OR TIGHTNESS, DYSPNEA, FROTHY SPUTUM, HYPOTENSION AND CYANOSIS FOLLOWED  
BY PNEUMONITIS AND PULMONARY EDEMA, WHICH MAY BE FATAL. IF PATIENT  
RECOVERS, SCAR TISSUE MAY CAUSE STRICTURE OF THE PYLORUS OR ESOPHAGUS.

- CHRONIC EXPOSURE

NITRIC ACID: REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE DENTAL EROSION

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FOLLOWED BY JAW NECROSIS, CHRONIC COUGH AND BRONCHITIS OR CHEMICAL  
PNEUMONITIS AND GASTROINTESTINAL DISTURBANCES.

FIRST AID: REMOVE FROM EXPOSURE AREA TO FRESH AIR IMMEDIATELY. IF BREATHING  
HAS STOPPED, GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. MAINTAIN AIRWAY AND BLOOD  
PRESSURE AND ADMINISTER OXYGEN IF AVAILABLE. KEEP AFFECTED PERSON WARM AND  
AT REST. ADMINISTRATION OF OXYGEN SHOULD BE PERFORMED BY QUALIFIED  
PERSONNEL. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

#### SKIN CONTACT:

##### CORROSIVE.

##### ACUTE EXPOSURE

NITRIC ACID: DIRECT CONTACT WITH THE LIQUID OR CONCENTRATED VAPOR CAUSES  
IMMEDIATE SEVERE AND PENETRATING BURNS, STAINING THE SKIN YELLOW OR  
YELLOWISH-BROWN. DILUTE SOLUTIONS PRODUCE MILD IRRITATION AND HARDEN THE  
SKIN WITHOUT DESTROYING IT.

##### CHRONIC EXPOSURE

NITRIC ACID: REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE DERMATITIS.

FIRST AID- REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND SHOES IMMEDIATELY. WASH AFFECTED  
AREA WITH SOAP OR MILD DETERGENT AND LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER UNTIL NO  
EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS (AT LEAST 15-20 MINUTES). IN CASE OF CHEMICAL  
BURNS, COVER AREA WITH STERILE, DRY DRESSING. BANDAGE SECURELY, BUT NOT  
TOO TIGHTLY. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

#### EYE CONTACT:

##### CORROSIVE.

##### ACUTE EXPOSURE

NITRIC ACID: DIRECT CONTACT WITH THE LIQUID MAY CAUSE PAIN, PHOTOPHOBIA,  
TEARING, EDEMA, CORNEAL ULCERATION, SEVERE BURNS, AND NECROSIS OF THE  
DEEPER TISSUES WITH PERMANENT DAMAGE.

##### CHRONIC EXPOSURE

NITRIC ACID: REPEATED OR PROLONGED EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE CONJUNCTIVITIS.

##### FIRST AID- WASH EYES IMMEDIATELY WITH LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER, OCCASIONALLY

LIFTING UPPER AND LOWER LIDS, UNTIL NO EVIDENCE OF CHEMICAL REMAINS  
(AT LEAST 15-20 MINUTES). IN CASE OF BURNS, APPLY STERILE BANDAGES LOOSELY  
WITHOUT MEDICATION. GET MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

#### INGESTION:

##### CORROSIVE/TOXIC.

##### ACUTE EXPOSURE

NITRIC ACID: IMMEDIATE PAIN IN THE MOUTH, THROAT, AND STOMACH MAY BE  
FOLLOWED BY NAUSEA, VOMITING, DIARRHEA, HEMATEMESIS, HEMOPTYSIS, HYPO-  
TENSION, NEPHRITIS, ALBUMINURIA, OLIGURIA, ANURIA, HEMATURIA, AND  
POSSIBLY CIRCULATORY COLLAPSE. ASPHYXIA FROM GLOTTAL EDEMA IS POSSIBLE.  
BURNS OF THE GASTROINTESTINAL TRACT MAY BE SEVERE ENOUGH TO CAUSE  
PERFORATION OF THE ESOPHAGUS AND STOMACH WHICH MAY BE FOLLOWED BY  
MEDIASTITIS OR PERITONITIS, INDICATED BY FEVER.

##### CHRONIC EXPOSURE

NITRIC ACID: NOT REPORTED TO OCCUR IN HUMANS.

FIRST AID- DO NOT USE GASTRIC LAVAGE OR EMESIS. DILUTE THE ACID IMMEDIATELY  
BY DRINKING LARGE QUANTITIES OF WATER OR MILK. IF VOMITING PERSISTS, AD-

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MINISTER FLUIDS REPEATEDLY. INGESTED ACID MUST BE DILUTED APPROXIMATELY  
100 TIMES TO RENDER IT HARMLESS TO TISSUES. (DRIESBACH, HANDBOOK OF  
POISONING, 11TH ED.) GET MEDICAL ATTENTION.

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REACTIVITY

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REACTIVITY:  
STABLE UNDER NORMAL TEMPERATURES AND PRESSURES.

INCOMPATIBILITIES:

ACETIC ACID: EXPLOSIVE REACTION IF NOT KEPT COLD.  
ACETIC ANHYDRIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION IF NOT KEPT COLD.  
ACETONE AND ACETIC ACID: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
ACETYLENE: YIELDS TRINITROMETHANE, WHICH MELTS AT 15 C; LIQUID IS EXPLOSIVE.  
ACRYLONITRILE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION AT 90 C  
ARSENIC: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
CESIUM CARBIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
4-CHLORO-2-NITROANILINE: FORMS EXPLOSIVE COMPOUND.  
ACETONITRILE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
CUPRIC NITRIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
CYCLOHEXYLAMINE: FORMS EXPLOSIVE SOLUTION.  
1,2-DIAMINOETHANE BISTRIMETHYL GOLD: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
2,6-DI-T-BUTYL PHENOL: FORMS EXPLOSIVE COMPOUND.  
DICHLOROMETHANE: FORMS EXPLOSIVE SOLUTION.  
DINITROTOLUENE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
DIPHENYL DISTIBENE: EXPLOSIVE OXIDATION.  
ETHANOL AND SILVER: FORMS EXPLOSIVE PRODUCT.  
5-ETHYL-2-METHYL PYRIDINE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
5-ETHYL-2-PICOLINE: FORMS EXPLOSIVE COMPOUND.  
CYCLOPENTADIENE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
BENZENE OR TOLUENE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
HYDROGEN PEROXIDE AND KETONES: FORMS EXPLOSIVE PRODUCTS.  
HYDROGEN PEROXIDE AND MERCURIC OXIDE: FORMS EXPLOSIVE PRODUCTS.  
HYDROGEN PEROXIDE AND THIUREA: FORMS EXPLOSIVE COMPOUND.  
METAL SALICATES: FORMS EXPLOSIVE COMPOUNDS.  
4-METHYLCYCLOHEXANONE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
NITRO AROMATIC HYDROCARBONS: FORMS HIGHLY EXPLOSIVE PRODUCTS.  
NITROBENZENE AND WATER: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
NITROMETHANE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
NON-METAL OXIDES (ARSENIC, PHOSPHINE, TETRABORANE): EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
PHENYLORTHOPOHSPHORIC ACID DISODIUM SALT: FORMS EXPLOSIVE PRODUCT.  
POLYDIBROMOSILANES: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
STIBINE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
SULFUR DIOXIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
THIOCYANIC ACID METAL SALTS: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
THIOPHENES: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
TITANIUM: FORMS EXPLOSIVE COMPOUND.  
TETRABORANE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
TRICADMIUM DIPHOSPHIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
TRITHIOACETONE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
HYDROGEN TELLURIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
INDANE AND SULFURIC ACID: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
MAGNESIUM: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
NITROBENZENE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
PHOSPHOROUS TRICHLORIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
PHTHALIC ANHYDRIDE: EXOTHERMIC REACTION AND FORMS EXPLOSIVE PRODUCTS.



POTASSIUM HYPOPHOSPHITE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
RUBIDIUM CARBIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
SELENIUM IODOPHOSPHIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
SILVER AND ETHYL ALCOHOL: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
TETRABORON DECAHYDRIDE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
THIOCYANATES: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
SULFURIC ACID AND GLYCERIDES: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
TRIAZINE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
UNSYMMETRICAL DIMETHYL HYDRAZINE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
URANIUM: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
URANIUM-NEODYMIUM ALLOY: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
URANIUM-NEODYMIUM-ZIRCONIUM ALLOY: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
ZIRCONIUM-URANIUM ALLOYS: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
BORON DECAHYDRATE: EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
2-AMINOTHIAPHE DERIVATIVES: FORMATION OF POSSIBLY EXPLOSIVE COMPOUNDS.  
CYANATES: POSSIBLE EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
1,3-CYCLOPENTADIENE: POSSIBLE EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
LACTIC ACID AND HYDROGEN FLUORIDE: POSSIBLE EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
MESITYLENE: POSSIBLE EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
ORGANIC SUBSTANCES AND PERCHLORATES: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION.  
PHTHALIC ACID AND SULFURIC ACID: POSSIBLE EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
REDUCING AGENTS: POSSIBLE EXPLOSIVE OR IGNITION REACTION.  
SULFURIC ACID: POSSIBLE EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
TITANIUM ALLOY: POSSIBLE EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
TITANIUM-MAGNESIUM ALLOY: POSSIBLE EXPLOSION ON IMPACT.  
FLUORINE: POSSIBLE EXPLOSIVE REACTION.  
METALS: VIOLENT REACTION WITH EXPLOSION OR IGNITION.  
METAL CARBIDES: EXPLOSIVE OR VIOLENT REACTION.  
TOLUENE AND SULFURIC ACID: EXTREMELY VIOLENT REACTION.  
ACETONE AND SULFURIC ACID: VIOLENT DECOMPOSITION.  
ANION EXCHANGE RESINS: POSSIBLE VIOLENT EXOTHERMIC REACTION.  
ANTIMONY: VIOLENT REACTION.  
BORON: VIOLENT REACTION WITH INCANDESCENCE.  
CARBON (PULVERIZED): VIOLENT REACTION.  
BUTANE THIOL: VIOLENT DECOMPOSITION.  
CROTONALDEHYDE: VIOLENT DECOMPOSITION WITH IGNITION.  
CUPROUS NITRIDE: VIOLENT REACTION.  
CYCLIC KETONES: VIOLENT REACTION.  
CYCLOHEXANOL: VIOLENT REACTION.  
ETHANOL: VIOLENT REACTION.  
GERMANIUM: VIOLENT REACTION.  
HYDRAZINE: VIOLENT REACTION.  
PHENYL ACETYLENE AND 1,1-DIMETHYLHYDRAZINE: VIOLENT REACTION.  
PHOSPHINE: VIOLENT DECOMPOSITION.  
SULFUR HALIDES: VIOLENT REACTION.  
SULFURIC ACID AND TEREPHTHALIC ACID: VIOLENT REACTION.  
THIOALDEHYDES OR THIOKETONES: VIOLENT REACTION.  
URANIUM ALLOY: VIOLENT REACTION.  
CYCLOHEXANONE: VIOLENT REACTION.  
NEODYMIUM PHOSPHIDE: VIOLENT REACTION.  
SULFAMIC ACID: VIOLENT REACTION.  
AMMONIA (GAS): BURNS IN AN ATMOSPHERE OF NITRIC ACID VAPOR.  
ANILINE: IGNITES SPONTANEOUSLY.  
BORON PHOSPHIDE: IGNITION REACTION WITH POSSIBLE DEFLAGRATION.  
BROMINE PENTAFLUORIDE: IGNITION REACTION.  
CALCIUM HYPOPHOSPHITE: IGNITION REACTION.

N-BUTYL MERCAPTAN: IGNITION REACTION.  
 DIPHENYL TIN: IGNITION REACTION.  
 M-ETHYL ANILINE: IGNITION REACTION.  
 ETHYL PHOSPHINE: IGNITION REACTION.  
 FURFURYL ALCOHOL: IGNITION REACTION.  
 HALOGEN PHOSPHIDES: IGNITION REACTION.  
 HYDROGEN IODIDE: IGNITION REACTION.  
 PHOSPHONIUM IODIDE: IGNITION REACTION.  
 PHOSPHOROUS: IGNITION REACTION.  
 SODIUM: SPONTANEOUS IGNITION.  
 TOLUIDENE: IGNITION REACTION.  
 TRIETHYLGALLIUM MONOETHYL ETHER COMPLEX: IGNITION REACTION.  
 LITHIUM: IGNITION REACTION.  
 DIBURANE: SPONTANEOUS IGNITION.  
 TERPENES: SPONTANEOUS IGNITION.  
 ANION EXCHANGE RESINS AND DICHROMATE: POSSIBLE IGNITION REACTION.  
 CELLULOSE: FORMS EASILY COMBUSTIBLE ETHER.  
 AROMATIC AMINES: POSSIBLE IGNITION REACTION.  
 DIVINYL ETHER: POSSIBLE IGNITION REACTION.  
 DIENE OR ACETYLENE DERIVATIVES: POSSIBLE IGNITION REACTION.  
 HYDROGEN SULFIDE: INCANDESCENT REACTION.  
 SELENIUM HYDRIDE: IGNITION OR INCANDESCENT REACTION.  
 FERRUS OXIDE (POWDER): INCANDESCENT REACTION.  
 LITHIUM SILICIDE: INCANDESCENT REACTION.  
 MAGNESIUM PHOSPHIDE: INCANDESCENT REACTION.  
 ZINC: INCANDESCENT REACTION.  
 BISMUTH (POWDERED): INTENSE EXOTHERMIC REACTION.  
 DIETHYL ETHER: INTENSE REACTION.  
 P--XYLENE: INTENSE REACTION IN PRESENCE OF SULFURIC ACID.  
 POLYALKENES: INTENSE REACTION.  
 SELENIUM: INTENSE REACTION.  
 TOLUENE: INTENSE REACTION.  
 TRIMETHYLTIOXANE: INTENSE REACTION.  
 PHOSPHOROUS TETRAIODIDE: VIGOROUS REACTION.  
 HYDRAZOIC ACID: ENERGETIC REACTION.  
 SODIUM AZIDE: ENERGETIC REACTION.  
 ALLYL ALCOHOL: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 ALLYL CHLORIDE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 2-AMINOETHANOL: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 AMMONIUM HYDROXIDE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 ACROLEIN: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 N-BUTYRALDEHYDE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 CHLOROSULFONIC ACID: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 CRESOL: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 CUMENE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 DIISOPROPYL ETHER: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 EPICHLOROHYDRINE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 ETHYLENE DIAMINE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 GLYOXAL: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 ISOPRENE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 MESITYL OXIDE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 2-METHYL-5-ETHYLPYRIDINE: TEMPERATURE/PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 OLEUM: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 B-PROPIOLACTONE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 PROPYLENE OXIDE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 PYRIDINE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 VINYL ACETATE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.  
 VINYLIDENE CHLORIDE: TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE INCREASE IN CLOSED CONTAINER.

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METAL FERRICYANIDE OR FERROCYANIDE: INCOMPATIBLE.  
CHLORINE: INCOMPATIBLE.

DECOMPOSITION:  
DECOMPOSES ON EXPOSURE TO AIR OR ORGANIC MATTER, OR WITH HEAT, TO RELEASE  
HIGHLY TOXIC FUMES OF OXIDES OF NITROGEN, INCLUDING NITRIC OXIDE AND NITROGEN  
DIOXIDE, AND HYDROGEN NITRATE.

POLYMERIZATION:  
NOT KNOWN TO OCCUR.

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CONDITIONS TO AVOID

NO REPORTS FOUND.

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SPILL AND LEAK PROCEDURES

OCCUPATIONAL SPILL:  
COVER WITH SODA ASH. SCOOP UP AND PLACE IN A SUITABLE CONTAINER.

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PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

VENTILATION:  
PROVIDE LOCAL EXHAUST VENTILATION SYSTEM TO MEET PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMITS.

RESPIRATOR:  
250 MG/M3- CHEMICAL CARTRIDGE RESPIRATOR PROVIDING PROTECTION AGAINST  
NITRIC ACID.  
GAS MASK WITH AN ORGANIC VAPOR CANISTER (CHIN-STYLE OR FRONT- OR  
BACK-MOUNTED) PROVIDING PROTECTION AGAINST NITRIC ACID.  
SUPPLIED-AIR RESPIRATOR WITH FULL FACEPIECE, HELMET, OR HOOD.  
SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE.  
TYPE C SUPPLIED-AIR RESPIRATOR OPERATED IN PRESSURE-DEMAND OR  
OR OTHER POSITIVE PRESSURE OR CONTINUOUS-FLOW MODE.

ESCAPE- GAS MASK WITH A CANISTER PROVIDING PROTECTION AGAINST NITRIC  
ACID (CHIN-STYLE OR FRONT- OR BACK-MOUNTED CANISTER).  
SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS.

FIREFIGHTING- SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS WITH A FULL FACEPIECE  
OPERATED IN A PRESSURE-DEMAND OR OTHER POSITIVE PRESSURE MODE.

NOTE: DO NOT USE OXIDIZABLE SORBENTS!

CLOTHING:  
EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT TO PREVENT  
ANY POSSIBILITY OF SKIN CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.

GLOVES:  
EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE GLOVES TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS  
SUBSTANCE.

EYE PROTECTION:  
EMPLOYEE MUST WEAR SPLASH-PROOF OR DUST-RESISTANT SAFETY GOGGLES AND A

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FACE-SHIELD TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH THIS SUBSTANCE.      \*\*ZINC REFERENCE SOLUTION 1,000 PPM ZN      PAGE 08 OF 08

WHERE THERE IS ANY POSSIBILITY THAT AN EMPLOYEE'S EYES MAY BE EXPOSED TO THIS SUBSTANCE, THE EMPLOYER SHALL PROVIDE AN EYE-WASH FOUNTAIN WITHIN THE IMMEDIATE WORK AREA FOR EMERGENCY USE.

AUTHORIZED - ALLIED FISHER SCIENTIFIC  
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## 1. INGREDIENTS:

|                       |                  |       |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------|
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | CAS# 000071-55-6 | 95.1% |
| 1,2-Butylene oxide    | CAS# 000106-88-7 |       |
| Diethylene ether      | CAS# 000123-91-1 |       |
| Nitromethane          | CAS# 000075-52-5 |       |

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## 2. PHYSICAL DATA:

BOILING POINT: 165F (74C)  
VAP PRESS: 100 mmHg @ 20C  
VAP DENSITY: 4.55  
SOL. IN WATER: 0.07g/100g @ 25C  
SP. GRAVITY: 1.320 @ 25/25C  
APPEARANCE: Colorless liquid.  
ODOR: Irritating odor at high concentrations.

## 3. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA:

FLASH POINT: None  
METHOD USED: TOC, TCC, COC

FLAMMABLE LIMITS  
LFL: 7.5% @ 25C  
UFL: 15% @ 25C

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water fog.

FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS: Not available.

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## 3. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA: (CONTINUED)

FIRE-FIGHTING EQUIPMENT: Self-contained, positive pressure, respiratory equipment.

## 4. REACTIVITY DATA:

STABILITY: (CONDITIONS TO AVOID) Avoid open flames, welding arcs or other high temperature sources which induce thermal decomposition.

INCOMPATIBILITY: (SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO AVOID) Water - long term contact can deplete stabilizers followed by slow hydrolysis producing corrosive acid. Avoid prolonged contact with, or storage in, aluminum or its alloys. Metallic aluminum and zinc powders should be avoided.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Hydrogen chloride and very small amounts of phosgene and chlorine.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

## 5. ENVIRONMENTAL AND DISPOSAL INFORMATION:

ACTION TO TAKE FOR SPILLS/LEAKS: Small leaks: Mop up, wipe up or soak up immediately. Remove to out-of-doors.  
Large spills: Evacuate area. Contain liquid; transfer to closed metal containers. Keep out of water supplies.

DISPOSAL METHOD: When disposing of the unused contents, the preferred options are to send to licensed reclaimer, permitted incinerators, or to evaporate very small quantities in compliance with local, state, and federal regulations including Subtitle C of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. Dumping into sewers, on the ground, or into any body of water is strongly discouraged, and may be illegal. Consult The Dow Chemical Company for further information.

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## 6. HEALTH HAZARD DATA:

EYE: May cause pain. May cause slight transient (temporary) irritation with slight transient corneal injury. Vapors may irritate eyes.

SKIN CONTACT: Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause skin irritation. Repeated contact may cause drying or flaking of skin.

SKIN ABSORPTION: A single prolonged skin exposure is not likely to result in absorption of harmful amounts. The LD50 for rabbits is about 15,000 mg/kg.

INGESTION: Single dose oral toxicity is low. The LD50 for rats is >10,000 mg/kg. If aspirated (liquid enters the lung), may be rapidly absorbed through the lungs and result in injury to other body systems.

INHALATION: Minimal anesthetic or narcotic effects may be seen in the range of 500-1000 ppm trichloroethane. Progressively higher levels over 1000 ppm may cause dizziness, drunkenness; concentrations as low as 10,000 ppm can cause unconsciousness and death. In confined or poorly ventilated areas, vapors which readily accumulate can cause unconsciousness and death. These high levels may also cause cardiac arrhythmias (irregular heartbeats).

SYSTEMIC & OTHER EFFECTS: Based on available data, repeated exposures are not anticipated to cause any significant adverse effects. Did not cause cancer in long-term animal studies. Birth defects are unlikely. Exposures having no adverse effects on the mother should have no effect on the fetus. In animal studies, has been shown not to interfere with reproduction. Results of in vitro ("test tube") mutagenicity tests have been inconclusive. Results of mutagenicity tests in animals have been negative.

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## 7. FIRST AID:

EYES: Irrigate immediately with water for at least 5 minutes.

SKIN: Wash off in flowing water or shower. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

INGESTION: Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician and/or transport to emergency facility immediately.

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Because rapid absorption may occur through lungs if aspirated and cause systemic effects, the decision of whether to induce vomiting or not should be made by an attending physician. If lavage is performed, suggest endotracheal and/or esophageal control. Danger from lung aspiration must be weighed against toxicity when considering emptying the stomach. Exposure may increase "myocardial irritability." Do not administer sympathomimetic drugs unless absolutely necessary. No specific antidote. Supportive care. Treatment based on judgment of the physician in response to reactions of the patient.

## 8. HANDLING PRECAUTIONS:

EXPOSURE GUIDELINE(S): 1,1,1-TRICHLOROETHANE - OSHA standard is 350 ppm and current ACGIH TLV is 350 ppm (450 ppm STEL).

ACGIH TLV is 25 ppm skin for diethylene ether; the STEL is 100 ppm. OSHA PEL is 100 ppm skin for diethylene ether. Dow Industrial Hygiene Guide for 1,2-butylene oxide is 40 ppm (excursion 100 ppm). ACGIH TLV for nitromethane is 100 ppm with a STEL of 150 ppm.

VENTILATION: Control airborne concentrations below the exposure guideline. Use only with adequate ventilation. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary for some operations. Lethal concentrations may exist in areas with poor ventilation.

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## 8. HANDLING PRECAUTIONS: (CONTINUED)

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Atmospheric levels should be maintained below the exposure guideline. When respiratory protection is required for certain operations, use an approved air-purifying respirator. For emergency and other conditions where the exposure guideline may be greatly exceeded, use an approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus. In confined or poorly ventilated areas, use an approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus.

SKIN PROTECTION: For brief contact, no precautions other than clean body-covering clothing should be needed. When prolonged or frequently repeated contact could occur, use protective clothing impervious to this material. Selection of specific items such as gloves, boots, apron, or full body suit will depend on operation.

EYE PROTECTION: Use safety glasses. Where contact with liquid is likely, chemical goggles are recommended because eye contact with this material may cause pain, even though it is unlikely to cause injury.

## 9. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE: Handle with reasonable care. Avoid breathing vapors. Store in a cool dry place. Concentrated vapors of this product are heavier than air and will collect in low areas such as pits, degreasers, storage tanks, and other confined areas. Do not enter these areas where vapors of this product are suspected unless special breathing apparatus is used and an observer is present for assistance.

1,1,1-Trichloroethane products should not be packaged in aluminum aerosol cans or with finely divided aluminum or its alloys in an aerosol can.

Aluminum is not an acceptable material of construction for pumps, mixers, fittings, storage tanks for 1,1,1-trichloroethane

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products or formulations. Metallic aluminum and zinc powders should be avoided. For additional information on toxicity, handling precautions, and first aid, refer to chlorinated solvents literature form no. 100-5792.

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## 1. INGREDIENTS:

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|-----------------------|------------------|-------|
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | CAS# 000071-55-6 | 95.1% |
| 1,2-Butylene oxide    | CAS# 000106-88-7 |       |
| Diethylene ether      | CAS# 000123-91-1 |       |
| Nitromethane          | CAS# 000075-52-5 |       |

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## 2. PHYSICAL DATA:

BOILING POINT: 165F (74C)  
VAP PRESS: 100 mmHg @ 20C  
VAP DENSITY: 4.55  
SOL. IN WATER: 0.07g/100g @ 25C  
SP. GRAVITY: 1.320 @ 25/25C  
APPEARANCE: Colorless liquid.  
ODOR: Irritating odor at high concentrations.

## 3. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA:

FLASH POINT: None  
METHOD USED: TOC, TCC, COC

FLAMMABLE LIMITS  
LFL: 7.5% @ 25C  
UFL: 15% @ 25C

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water fog.

FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS: Not available.

FIRE-FIGHTING EQUIPMENT: Self-contained, positive pressure, respiratory equipment.

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## 4. REACTIVITY DATA:

**STABILITY: (CONDITIONS TO AVOID)** Avoid open flames, welding arcs or other high temperature sources which induce thermal decomposition.

**INCOMPATIBILITY: (SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO AVOID)** Water - Long term contact can deplete stabilizers followed by slow hydrolysis producing corrosive acid. Avoid prolonged contact with, or storage in, aluminum or its alloys. Metallic aluminum and zinc powders should be avoided.

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** Hydrogen chloride and very small amounts of phosgene and chlorine.

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** Will not occur.

## 5. ENVIRONMENTAL AND DISPOSAL INFORMATION:

**ACTION TO TAKE FOR SPILLS/LEAKS:** Small leaks: Mop up, wipe up or soak up immediately. Remove to out-of-doors. Large spills: Evacuate area. Contain liquid; transfer to closed metal containers. Keep out of water supplies.

**DISPOSAL METHOD:** When disposing of the unused contents, the preferred options are to send to licensed recycler, permitted incinerators, or to evaporate very small quantities in compliance with local, state, and federal regulations including Subtitle C of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. Dumping into sewers, on the ground, or into any body of water is strongly discouraged, and may be illegal. Consult The Dow Chemical Company for further information.

## 6. HEALTH HAZARD DATA:

**EYE:** May cause pain. May cause slight transient (temporary) irritation with slight transient corneal injury. Vapors may irritate eyes.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause skin

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## 6. HEALTH HAZARD DATA: (Continued)

irritation. Repeated contact may cause drying or flaking of skin.

**SKIN ABSORPTION:** A single prolonged skin exposure is not likely to result in absorption of harmful amounts. The LD50 for rabbits is about 15,000 mg/kg.

**INGESTION:** Single dose oral toxicity is low. The LD50 for rats is >10,000 mg/kg. If aspirated (liquid enters the lung), may be rapidly absorbed through the lungs and result in injury to other body systems.

**INHALATION:** Minimal anesthetic or narcotic effects may be seen in the range of 500-1000 ppm trichloroethane. Progressively higher levels over 1000 ppm may cause dizziness, drunkenness; concentrations as low as 10,000 ppm can cause unconsciousness and death. In confined or poorly ventilated areas, vapors which readily accumulate can cause unconsciousness and death. These high levels may also cause cardiac arrhythmias (irregular heartbeats).

**SYSTEMIC & OTHER EFFECTS:** Based on available data, repeated exposures are not anticipated to cause any significant adverse effects. Did not cause cancer in long-term animal studies. Birth defects are unlikely. Exposures having no adverse effects on the mother should have no effect on the fetus. In animal studies, has been shown not to interfere with reproduction. Results of in vitro ("test tube") mutagenicity tests have been inconclusive. Results of mutagenicity tests in animals have been negative.

## 7. FIRST AID:

**EYES:** Irrigate immediately with water for at least 5 minutes.

**SKIN:** Wash off in flowing water or shower. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

**INGESTION:** Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician and/or

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## 7. FIRST AID: (Continued)

transport to emergency facility immediately.

INHALATION: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Because rapid absorption may occur through lungs if aspirated and cause systemic effects, the decision of whether to induce vomiting or not should be made by an attending physician. If lavage is performed, suggest endotracheal and/or esophageal control. Danger from lung aspiration must be weighed against toxicity when considering emptying the stomach. Exposure may increase "myocardial irritability." Do not administer sympathomimetic drugs unless absolutely necessary. No specific antidote. Supportive care. Treatment based on judgment of the physician in response to reactions of the patient.

## 8. HANDLING PRECAUTIONS:

EXPOSURE GUIDELINE(S): 1,1,1-TRICHLOROETHANE - OSHA standard is 350 ppm and current ACGIH TLV is 350 ppm (450 ppm STEL).

ACGIH TLV is 25 ppm skin for diethylene ether; the STEL is 100 ppm. OSHA PEL is 100 ppm skin for diethylene ether. Dow Industrial Hygiene Guide for 1,2-butylene oxide is 40 ppm (excursion 100 ppm). ACGIH TLV for nitromethane is 100 ppm with a STEL of 150 ppm.

VENTILATION: Control airborne concentrations below the exposure guideline. Use only with adequate ventilation. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary for some operations. Lethal concentrations may exist in areas with poor ventilation.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Atmospheric levels should be maintained below the exposure guideline. When respiratory protection is required for certain operations, use an approved air-purifying respirator. For emergency and other conditions where the exposure guideline may be greatly exceeded, use an approved

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## 8. HANDLING PRECAUTIONS: (Continued)

positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus. In confined or poorly ventilated areas, use an approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus.

**SKIN PROTECTION:** For brief contact, no precautions other than clean body-covering clothing should be needed. When prolonged or frequently repeated contact could occur, use protective clothing impervious to this material. Selection of specific items such as gloves, boots, apron, or full body suit will depend on operation.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Use safety glasses. Where contact with liquid is likely, chemical goggles are recommended because eye contact with this material may cause pain, even though it is unlikely to cause injury.

## 9. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

**SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE:** Handle with reasonable care. Avoid breathing vapors. Store in a cool dry place. Concentrated vapors of this product are heavier than air and will collect in low areas such as pits, degreasers, storage tanks, and other confined areas. Do not enter these areas where vapors of this product are suspected unless special breathing apparatus is used and an observer is present for assistance.

1,1,1-Trichloroethane products should not be packaged in aluminum aerosol cans or with finely divided aluminum or its alloys in an aerosol can.

Aluminum is not an acceptable material of construction for pumps, mixers, fittings, storage tanks for 1,1,1-trichloroethane products or formulations. Metallic aluminum and zinc powders should be avoided. For additional information on toxicity, handling precautions, and first aid, refer to chlorinated solvents literature form no. 100-5792.

MSDS STATUS: Revised sections 1, 5, 6, 8, and 9.

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### 1. INGREDIENTS:

|                       |                  |       |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------|
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | CAS# 000071-55-6 | 95.1% |
| 1,2-Butylene oxide    | CAS# 000106-88-7 |       |
| Diethylene ether      | CAS# 000123-91-1 |       |
| Nitromethane          | CAS# 000075-52-5 |       |

The hazard information presented is based on tests conducted on this or similar mixtures. Therefore, pursuant to the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (see 29 CFR Part 1910.1200 (g) (2) (B)), the information is based on the tested mixture and not individual ingredients.

### 2. PHYSICAL DATA:

BOILING POINT: 165F (74C)  
VAP PRESS: 100 mmHg @ 20C  
VAP DENSITY: 4.55  
SOL. IN WATER: 0.07g/100g @ 25C  
SP. GRAVITY: 1.320 @ 25/25C  
APPEARANCE: Colorless liquid.  
ODOR: Irritating odor at high concentrations.

### 3. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA:

FLASH POINT: None  
METHOD USED: TOC, TCC, COC

FLAMMABLE LIMITS  
LFL: 7.5% @ 25C  
UFL: 15% @ 25C

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water fog.

FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS: Not available.

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## 3. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA: (CONTINUED)

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## 7. FIRST AID:

**EYES:** Irrigate immediately with water for at least 5 minutes.

**SKIN:** Wash off in flowing water or shower. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

**INGESTION:** Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician and/or transport to emergency facility immediately.

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RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: Atmospheric levels should be maintained below the exposure guideline. When respiratory protection is required for certain operations, use an approved air-purifying respirator. For emergency and other conditions where the exposure guideline may be greatly exceeded, use an approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus. In confined or poorly ventilated areas, use an approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus.

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Gentlemen:

Enclosed are Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) which provide information on products which you have purchased from us in the recent past. Since you may redirect the products to more than one place within your location, please make sure this information is available to all persons handling and/or using the product.

The distribution of these sheets is part of a continuing program of providing information and updating our customers. The regulations promulgated by OSHA for Hazard Communication, 29 CFR 1910.1200, as well as several state and local laws and regulations, have been considered in preparing these Material Safety Data Sheets.

Thank you for your help.

*A.T. Talcott*

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Manager, Product Safety Compliance  
Quality Assurance Department

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NAME: CHLOROTRICHLOETHANE (R) SM SOLVENT

1,1,1-TRICHLOROETHANE SOLVENT

USFC: COLORLESS LIQUID, FREE OF SUSPENDED MATTER AND SEDIMENT

APPL GOVT/IND STDS: MIL-STD-813A

: MIL-STD-767C (SH)

: MIL-T-81533A

: FED SPEC C-I-622C

: CANADIAN STD. 31-GF-213A

: NASA-MSFC-PROC-166C

: BRITISH DEFENSE STD 68-21/1 TYPE 1

: MIL B-197F

: A-A-1544

: ASME BOILER & PV CODE, SEC. V, ART. 6

| TEST ITEM                                  | UNIT | LIMITS   | TEST METHODS         |
|--|------|--|----------------------|
| APPEARANCE                                 |      | ESSENTIALLY<br>FREE OF<br>SEDIMENT AND<br>SUSPENDED MATTER | VISUAL               |
| WATER CONTENT, MAX.                        | PPM  | 100  | 16822A               |
| COLOR, PT-CO, MAX.                         |      | 5  | 16822A; ASTM D2178   |
| NON-VOLATILE RESIDUE, MAX.                 | PPM  | 7.5  | 16822A               |
| ACID ACCEPTANCE (AS NAOF),<br>MIN.         | 2N   | 0.22   | 16822A               |
| ---PURITY---                               |      |  |                      |
| 1,1,1-TRICHLOROETHANE, MIN.                | 4N   | 94.5   | 16822A; MIL-T-81533A |
| 1,1,1-TRICHLOROETHANE, MIN.                | 2V   | 93.5   | 16822A; MIL-T-81533A |
| INDIVIDUAL HALOGENATED<br>IMPURITIES, MAX. | 2V   | 0.25   | 16822A; MIL-T-81533A |
| TOTAL HALOGENATED<br>IMPURITIES, MAX.      | 2V   | 0.50   | 16822A; MIL-T-81533A |
| ---TYPICAL PROPERTIES---                   |      |  |                      |
| FREE HALOGENS                              | PPM  | NONE   | 16822A; MIL-T-81533A |
| ACIDITY (AS HCL) MAX.                      | PPM  | 12   | 16822A               |
| ACIDITY AFTER ACCELERATED<br>OXIDATION     |      | PASSES<br>MIL-T-81533A<br>(NOTE 2)                         | 16822A; MIL-T-81533A |
| METALS CORROSION                           |      | PASSES   | 16822A; MIL-T-81533A |

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NAME: CHLOROPRENE (R) 5M SOLVENT

| TEST ITEM                        | UNIT | LIMITS | TEST METHODS |
|----------------------------------|------|--------|--------------|
| -----TEST ITEMS----- (CONTINUED) |      |        |              |

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(NOTE 2)

RELATIVE DENSITY (SPECIFIC  
GRAVITY @ 25/25 C)

1.317-1.324  
(NOTE 1)

16622A;ASTM D2111

DISTILLATION RANGE W.

C

72-26 (NOTE 1)

16622A;ASTM D1678

IRP-OP

PI: 2533544 SAMPLE  
PI: 2500171 35 GAL DRUM  
PI: 2520167 BULK

SALES NOTE:  
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- (1) IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT MATERIAL MEETING THE LIMITS IMPOSED UNDER "TEST ITEMS" AND "PURITY" WILL FALL WITHIN THE LIMITS INDICATED. THESE ARE NOT ROUTINE TEST ITEMS.
- (2) IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT MATERIAL MEETING THE "ACID ACCEPTANCE" MINIMUM REQUIREMENT WILL PASS THESE TESTS. THESE ARE NOT ROUTINE TEST ITEMS.
- (3) THIS MATERIAL IS A SPECIALLY FILTERED PRODUCT.

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## 1. INGREDIENTS:

|                       |                  |       |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------|
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | CAS# 000071-55-6 | 95.5% |
| 1,2-Butylene oxide    | CAS# 000106-88-7 |       |
| Diethylene Ether      | CAS# 000123-91-1 |       |
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The hazard information presented is based on tests conducted on this or similar mixtures. Therefore, pursuant to the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (see 29 CFR Part 1910.1200 (g)(2)(B)), the information is based on the tested mixture and not individual ingredients.

## 2. PHYSICAL DATA:

BOILING POINT: 165F (74C)  
VAP PRESS: 100 mmHg @ 20C  
VAP DENSITY: 4.55  
SOL. IN WATER: 0.07 g/100g @ 25C  
SP. GRAVITY: 1.321 @ 25/25C  
APPEARANCE: Colorless liquid.  
ODOR: Irritating odor at high concentrations.

## 3. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA:

FLASH POINT: None  
METHOD USED: TOC, TCC, COC

FLAMMABLE LIMITS  
LFL: 7.5% @ 25C  
UFL: 15% @ 25C

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water fog.

FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS: Not available.

FIRE-FIGHTING EQUIPMENT: Self-contained, positive pressure respiratory equipment.

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EYE: May cause pain. May cause slight transient (temporary) irritation with slight transient corneal injury. Vapors may irritate eyes.

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irritation. Repeated contact may cause drying or flaking of skin.

SKIN ABSORPTION: A single prolonged skin exposure is not likely to result in absorption of harmful amounts. The LD50 for rabbits is about 15,000 mg/kg.

INGESTION: Single dose oral toxicity is low. The LD50 for rats is >10,000 mg/kg. If aspirated (liquid enters the lung), may be rapidly absorbed through the lungs and result in injury to other body systems.

INHALATION: Minimal anesthetic or narcotic effects may be seen in the range of 500-1000 ppm trichloroethane. Progressively higher levels over 1000 ppm may cause dizziness, drunkenness; concentrations as low as 10,000 ppm can cause unconsciousness and death. In confined or poorly ventilated areas, vapors which readily accumulate can cause unconsciousness and death. These high levels may also cause cardiac arrhythmias (irregular heartbeats).

SYSTEMIC & OTHER EFFECTS: Based on available data, repeated exposures are not anticipated to cause any significant adverse effects. Similar formulations did not cause cancer in long-term animal studies. Birth defects are unlikely. Exposures having no adverse effects on the mother should have no effect on the fetus. In animal studies, has been shown not to interfere with reproduction. Results of in vitro ('test tube') mutagenicity tests have been inconclusive. Results of mutagenicity tests in animals have been negative.

## 7. FIRST AID:

EYES: Irrigate immediately with water for at least 5 minutes.

SKIN: Wash off in flowing water or shower. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

INGESTION: Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician and/or

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transport to emergency facility immediately.

**INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician.

**NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:** Because rapid absorption may occur through lungs if aspirated and cause systemic effects, the decision of whether to induce vomiting or not should be made by an attending physician. If lavage is performed, suggest endotracheal and/or esophageal control. Danger from lung aspiration must be weighed against toxicity when considering emptying the stomach. Exposure may increase "myocardial irritability." Do not administer sympathomimetic drugs unless absolutely necessary. No specific antidote. Supportive care. Treatment based on judgment of the physician in response to reactions of the patient.

## 8. HANDLING PRECAUTIONS:

**EXPOSURE GUIDELINE(S):** 1,1,1-Trichloroethane - OSHA standard is 350 ppm and current ACGIH TLV is 350 ppm (450 ppm STEL).

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**VENTILATION:** Control airborne concentrations below the exposure guideline. Use only with adequate ventilation. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary for some operations. Lethal concentrations may exist in areas with poor ventilation.

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## 8. HANDLING PRECAUTIONS: (Continued)

positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus. In confined or poorly ventilated areas, use an approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus.

**SKIN PROTECTION:** For brief contact, no precautions other than clean body-covering clothing should be needed. When prolonged or frequently repeated contact could occur, use protective clothing impervious to this material. Selection of specific items such as gloves, boots, apron, or full body suit will depend on operation.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Use safety glasses. Where contact with liquid is likely, chemical goggles are recommended because eye contact with this material may cause pain, even though it is unlikely to cause injury.

## .. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

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1. INGREDIENTS:

|                       |                  |       |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------|
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | CAS# 000071-55-6 | 95.5% |
| 1,2-Butylene oxide    | CAS# 000106-88-7 |       |
| Diethylene Ether      | CAS# 000123-91-1 |       |
| Nitromethane          | CAS# 000075-52-5 |       |

The hazard information presented is based on tests conducted on this or similar mixtures. Therefore, pursuant to the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (see 29 CFR Part 1910.1200 (g)(2)(B)), the information is based on the tested mixture and not individual ingredients.

2. PHYSICAL DATA:

BOILING POINT: 165F (74C)  
VAP PRESS: 100 mmHg @ 20C  
VAP DENSITY: 4.55  
SOL. IN WATER: 0.07 g/100g @ 25C  
SP. GRAVITY: 1.321 @ 25/25C  
APPEARANCE: Colorless liquid.  
ODOR: Irritating odor at high concentrations.

3. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA:

FLASH POINT: None  
METHOD USED: TOC, TCC, COC

FLAMMABLE LIMITS  
LFL: 7.5% @ 25C  
UFL: 15% @ 25C

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: Water fog.

FIRE & EXPLOSION HAZARDS: Not available.

FIRE-FIGHTING EQUIPMENT: Self-contained, positive pressure respiratory equipment.

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## 4.   REACTIVITY DATA:

STABILITY:   (CONDITIONS TO AVOID)   Avoid open flames, welding arcs or other high temperature sources which induce thermal decomposition.

INCOMPATIBILITY:   (SPECIFIC MATERIALS TO AVOID)   Water - long term contact can deplete stabilizers followed by slow hydrolysis producing corrosive acid. Avoid prolonged contact with, or storage in, aluminum or its alloys. Metallic aluminum and zinc powders should be avoided.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:   Hydrogen chloride and very small amounts of phosgene and chlorine.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:   Will not occur.

## 5.   ENVIRONMENTAL AND DISPOSAL INFORMATION:

ACTION TO TAKE FOR SPILLS/LEAKS:   Small leaks:   Mop up, wipe up, or soak up immediately. Remove to out-of-doors.  
Large spills:   Evacuate area. Contain liquid; transfer to closed metal containers. Keep out of water supplies.

DISPOSAL METHOD:   When disposing of the unused contents, the preferred options are to send to licensed reclaimer, permitted incinerators, or to evaporate small quantities in compliance with local, state, and federal regulations including Subtitle C of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. Dumping into sewers, on the ground, or into any body of water is strongly discouraged, and may be illegal. Consult The Dow Chemical Company for further information.

## 6.   HEALTH HAZARD DATA:

EYE:   May cause pain. May cause slight transient (temporary) irritation with slight transient corneal injury. Vapors may irritate eyes.

SKIN CONTACT:   Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause skin

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PRODUCT NAME: CHLOROTHENE VG (R) SOLVENT   MSD: 0110

INGREDIENTS (TYPICAL VALUES-NOT SPECIFICATIONS)   :   %   :

1,1,1-TRICHLOROETHANE (NOMINAL)   : 96.4 :

#### SECTION 1

#### PHYSICAL DATA

BOILING POINT: 155F (74C)   : SOL. IN WATER: 0.07G/100G @ 25C  
VAP PRESS: 100 MMHG @ 20C   : SP. GRAVITY: 1.320 @ 25/25C  
VAP DENSITY (AIR=1): 4.55   : % VOLATILE BY VOL: 100 (ESSEN.)

APPEARANCE AND ODOR: COLORLESS LIQUID, IRRITATING ODOR AT HIGH CONCENTRATIONS.

#### SECTION 2

#### FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT: NONE   : FLAMMABLE LIMITS  
METHOD USED: TCC, TCC, COC   : LFL: 7.5% @ 25C   UFL: 15% @ 25C

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: WATER FOG.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT AND HAZARDS: SELF-CONTAINED, POSITIVE PRESSURE, RESPIRATORY EQUIPMENT.

#### SECTION 3

#### REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: AVOID OPEN FLAMES, WELDING ARCS OR OTHER HIGH TEMPERATURE SOURCES WHICH INDUCE THERMAL DECOMPOSITION.

INCOMPATIBILITY: WATER - LONG TERM CONTACT CAN DEplete STABILIZERS FOLLOWED BY SLOW HYDROLYSIS PRODUCING CORROSIVE ACID. AVOID PROLONGED CONTACT WITH, OR STORAGE IN, ALUMINUM OR ITS ALLOYS. METALLIC ALUMINUM AND ZINC POWDERS SHOULD BE AVOIDED.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: HYDROGEN CHLORIDE AND VERY SMALL AMOUNTS OF PHOSGENE AND CHLORINE.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR.

#### SECTION 4

#### SPILL, LEAK, AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

ACTION TO TAKE FOR SPILLS: SMALL LEAKS: MOP UP, WIPE UP OR SOAK UP IMMEDIATELY. REMOVE TO OUT-OF-DOORS.

LARGE SPILLS: EVACUATE AREA. CONTAIN LIQUID; TRANSFER TO CLOSED METAL

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SECTION 4            SPILL, LEAK, AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES (CONTINUED)

ACTION TO TAKE FOR SPILLS: (CONTINUED)  
CONTAINERS. KEEP OUT OF WATER SUPPLIES.

DISPOSAL METHOD: (IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE) SEND SOLVENT TO LICENSED RECLAIMER, INCINERATE, EVAPORATE VERY SMALL QUANTITIES, OR SEND TO APPROVED LANDFILL BURIAL IN COMPLIANCE WITH LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS. DUMPING INTO SEWERS, ON THE GROUND, OR INTO ANY BODY OF WATER IS STRONGLY DISCOURAGED, AND MAY BE ILLEGAL.

SECTION 5            HEALTH HAZARD DATA

EYE: MAY CAUSE PAIN. MAY CAUSE SLIGHT TRANSIENT IRRITATION WITH SLIGHT TRANSIENT CORNEAL INJURY. VAPORS MAY IRRITATE EYES.

SKIN CONTACT: PROLONGED OR REPEATED EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE SKIN IRRITATION. REPEATED CONTACT MAY CAUSE DEFATTING OF SKIN.

SKIN ABSORPTION: A SINGLE PROLONGED SKIN EXPOSURE IS NOT LIKELY TO RESULT IN ABSORPTION OF HARMFUL AMOUNTS. THE LD50 FOR RABBITS IS ABOUT 15,000 MG/KG.

INGESTION: SINGLE DOSE ORAL TOXICITY IS LOW. THE LD50 FOR RATS IS >10,000 MG/KG. IF ASPIRATED, MAY CAUSE RAPID ABSORPTION THROUGH THE LUNGS WHICH MAY RESULT IN SYSTEMIC EFFECTS.

INHALATION: MINIMAL ANESTHETIC OR NARCOTIC EFFECTS MAY BE SEEN IN THE RANGE OF 500-1000 PPM TRICHLOROETHANE. PROGRESSIVELY HIGHER LEVELS OVER 1000 PPM MAY CAUSE DIZZINESS, DRUNKENNESS; CONCENTRATIONS IN EXCESS OF 10,000 PPM CAN CAUSE UNCONSCIOUSNESS AND DEATH. IN CONFINED OR POORLY VENTILATED AREAS, VAPORS WHICH READILY ACCUMULATE CAN CAUSE UNCONSCIOUSNESS AND DEATH. THESE HIGH LEVELS MAY ALSO CAUSE CARDIAC ARRHYTHMIAS (IRREGULAR HEARTBEATS).

SYSTEMIC & OTHER EFFECTS: ----

SECTION 6            FIRST AID

EYES: IRRIGATE IMMEDIATELY WITH WATER FOR AT LEAST 5 MINUTES.

SKIN: WASH OFF IN FLOWING WATER OR SHOWER. REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING AND WASH BEFORE REUSE.

INGESTION: DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. CALL A PHYSICIAN AND/OR TRANSPORT TO EMERGENCY FACILITY IMMEDIATELY.

INHALATION: REMOVE TO FRESH AIR. IF NOT BREATHING, GIVE MOUTH-TO-MOUTH RESUSCITATION. IF BREATHING IS DIFFICULT, GIVE OXYGEN. CALL A PHYSICIAN.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: BECAUSE RAPID ABSORPTION MAY OCCUR THROUGH LUNGS IF ASPIRATED AND CAUSE SYSTEMIC EFFECTS, THE DECISION OF WHETHER TO INDUCE VOMITING OR NOT SHOULD BE MADE BY AN ATTENDING PHYSICIAN. IF

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NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: (CONTINUED)

LAVAGE IS PERFORMED, SUGGEST ENDOTRACHEAL AND/OR ESOPHAGEAL CONTROL. DANGER FROM LUNG ASPIRATION MUST BE WEIGHED AGAINST TOXICITY WHEN CONSIDERING EMPTYING THE STOMACH. EXPOSURE MAY INCREASE "MYOCARDIAL IRRITABILITY". DO NOT ADMINISTER SYMPATHOMIMETIC DRUGS UNLESS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY. NO SPECIFIC ANTIDOTE. SUPPORTIVE CARE. TREATMENT BASED ON JUDGMENT OF THE PHYSICIAN IN RESPONSE TO REACTIONS OF THE PATIENT.

SECTION 7                      SPECIAL HANDLING INFORMATION

EXPOSURE GUIDELINE(S): 1,1,1-TRICHLOROETHANE - OSHA STANDARD IS 350 PPM AND CURRENT ACGIH TLV IS 350 PPM (450 PPM STEL).

VENTILATION: CONTROL VAPORS TO STANDARD.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION: APPROVED ORGANIC VAPOR-TYPE RESPIRATOR REQUIRED IN ABSENCE OF PROPER ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL. FOR EMERGENCIES, A POSITIVE-PRESSURE BREATHING APPARATUS OR A FULL-FACE RESPIRATOR WITH AN APPROVED ORGANIC VAPOR CANISTER IS RECOMMENDED.

PROTECTIVE CLOTHING: NO SPECIAL PROTECTIVE CLOTHING NEEDED. HOWEVER, FOR FREQUENT OR PROLONGED CONTACT USE GLOVES MADE OF VITON, NEOPRENE OR POLYVINYL ALCOHOL; BOOTS AND APRON DEPENDING UPON THE EXTENT AND SEVERITY OF EXPOSURE LIKELY.

EYE PROTECTION: SAFETY GLASSES. IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT AN EYE-WASH STATION BE AVAILABLE.

SECTION 8                      SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORAGE: HANDLE WITH REASONABLE CARE. AVOID BREATHING VAPORS. STORE IN A COOL DRY PLACE. VAPORS OF THIS PRODUCT ARE HEAVIER THAN AIR AND WILL COLLECT IN LOW AREAS SUCH AS PITS, DEGREASERS, STORAGE TANKS, AND OTHER CONFINED AREAS. DO NOT ENTER THESE AREAS WHERE VAPORS OF THIS PRODUCT ARE SUSPECTED UNLESS SPECIAL BREATHING APPARATUS IS USED AND AN OBSERVER IS PRESENT FOR ASSISTANCE.

1,1,1-TRICHLOROETHANE PRODUCTS SHOULD NOT BE PACKAGED IN ALUMINUM AEROSOL CANS OR WITH FINELY DIVIDED ALUMINUM OR ITS ALLOYS IN AN AEROSOL CAN.

ALUMINUM IS NOT AN ACCEPTABLE MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION FOR PUMPS, MIXERS, FITTINGS, STORAGE TANKS FOR 1,1,1-TRICHLOROETHANE PRODUCTS OR FORMULATIONS. METALLIC ALUMINUM AND ZINC POWDERS SHOULD BE AVOIDED.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON TOXICITY, HANDLING PRECAUTIONS, AND FIRST AID, REFER TO CHLORINATED SOLVENTS LITERATURE FORM NO. 100-5792.

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**SECTION I**

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| <b>MANUFACTURER'S NAME</b><br>Waste Research & Reclamation Co., Inc.                              | <b>EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NO.</b><br>(715) 834-9624 |
| <b>ADDRESS (Number, Street, City, State, and ZIP Code)</b><br>Route 7 Eau Claire, Wisconsin 54701 |  |
| <b>CHEMICAL NAME AND SYNONYMS</b><br>Chlorinated Solvent Blend                                    | <b>TRADE NAME AND SYNONYMS</b><br>CC #5050       |
| <b>CHEMICAL FAMILY</b><br>y   | <b>FORMULA</b><br>See below                      |

**SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS**

| PAINTS, PRESERVATIVES, & SOLVENTS                            | %     | TLV<br>(Units) | ALLOYS AND METALLIC COATINGS              | %        | TLV<br>(Units)         |
|--|-------|----------------|---|----------|------------------------|
| Methylene Chloride &   |       | 300            | BASE METAL                                |          |                        |
| Freon 113  | 10-15 | 1000           | ALLOYS                                    |          |                        |
| 111 Trichloroethane  | 50-60 | 350            | METALLIC COATINGS                         |          |                        |
| Trichloroethylene  | 10-15 | 100            | FILLER METAL<br>PLUS COATING OR CORE FLUX |          |                        |
| Perchloroethylene  | 4-8   | 200            | OTHERS                                    |          |                        |
| Inhibitors   | 6     | 100            |   |          |                        |
| <b>HAZARDOUS MIXTURES OF OTHER LIQUIDS, SOLIDS, OR GASES</b> |       |                |   | <b>%</b> | <b>TLV<br/>(Units)</b> |
|  |       |                |   |          |                        |
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**SECTION III - PHYSICAL DATA**

|                         |     |                                       |          |
|-------------------------|-----|---------------------------------------|----------|
| BOILING POINT (°F.)     | 120 | SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H <sub>2</sub> O=1) | 1.325    |
| VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg.) | 150 | PERCENT VOLATILE<br>BY VOLUME (%)     | 100      |
| VAPOR DENSITY (AIR=1)   | 4.5 | EVAPORATION RATE<br>(_____ =1)        | variable |
| SOLUBILITY IN WATER     |     |                                       |          |
| APPEARANCE AND ODOR     |     |                                       |          |

**SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA**

|   |                  |     |     |
|---|------------------|-----|-----|
| FLASH POINT (Method used)<br>do not flash to boiling pt. 120°F  | FLAMMABLE LIMITS | Lel | Uel |
| EXTINGUISHING MEDIA<br>Carbon dioxide or dry chemical for small fires, ordinary foam for large fires. |                  |     |     |
| SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES<br>none  |                  |     |     |
|   |                  |     |     |
| UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS<br>none  |                  |     |     |

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## SECTION V - HEALTH HAZARD DATA

### THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE

TLV - 270 ppm \*

### EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE

(1) skin-minor irritation (2) anesthetic effects may occur in the range of 300-1000 ppm. If breathing stops, give artificial respiration, medical help.

### EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

Inhalation- remove to fresh air, keep warm and quiet until recover.

Skin & Eyes-Flush eyes with plenty of water. For both skin and eyes get medical attn. if irritation or injury develops. Indigestion- treat symptomatically. - No known antidote.

## SECTION VI - REACTIVITY DATA

|   |                |  |   |
|---|----------------|--|---|
| STABILITY   | UNSTABLE       |  | CONDITIONS TO AVOID<br>Open flames, welding arcs-can cause thermal decom- |
|   | STABLE         |  | position producing hydrogen chloride and phosgene.                        |
| INCOMPATABILITY (Materials to avoid)<br>Water-slow hydrolysis produces corrosive acid.                                  |                |  |   |
| HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS<br>Exposure to high temp or open flam generates hydrogen chloride and small amounts of |                |  |   |
| phosgene & chlorine<br>HAZARDOUS<br>POLYMERIZATION  | MAY OCCUR      |  | CONDITIONS TO AVOID   |
|   | WILL NOT OCCUR |  |   |
|   |                |  |   |

## SECTION VII - SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

### STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED

Small spills-mop, wipe or soak with absorbent material using proper protective equipment. Bury. Large spills-evacuate area, using proper protective equipment, flush spill to ground and let evaporate. Keep out of water supply and away from inhabited build.

### WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD

Bury away from water supply or allow solvent to evaporate to atmosphere at a safe distance from inhabited buildings. For reclamation, keep solvent in good drums, seal tight & send to WR&R.

## SECTION VIII - SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

### RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (Specify type)

conc. above 2% use self contained breathing apparatus.

|             |   |         |
|-------------|---|---------|
| VENTILATION | LOCAL EXHAUST   | SPECIAL |
|             | MECHANICAL (General)<br>Provide ventillation to control TLV | OTHER   |

### PROTECTIVE GLOVES

no

### EYE PROTECTION

safety glasses without side shields.

### OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

conc. above 2% use self contained breathing apparatus.

## SECTION IX - SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

### PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORING

Handle with reasonable care: Avoid breathing vapors in concentrations over 200 ppm with a maxium peak of 300 ppm. Store in cool dry place.

### OTHER PRECAUTIONS

\* By TLV weighted percents.

LABORATORY TEST REPORT  
CHLOROHYDROCARBON SOLVENT

Date: 2-4-80

No: \_\_\_\_\_



WASTE RESEARCH and  
RECLAMATION CO., INC.

Route 3 • EAU CLAIRE, WISCONSIN 54701

Solvent: \_\_\_\_\_ CC #5050

Waste Generated by: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount of Spent Solvent: \_\_\_\_\_ lb. \_\_\_\_\_ bbls.

Amount of Recyclable Solvent: \_\_\_\_\_ lb. \_\_\_\_\_ bbls.

Amount of Waste For Disposal \_\_\_\_\_ lb. \_\_\_\_\_ bbls.

Percent Recovery \_\_\_\_\_ Percent Waste: \_\_\_\_\_

TEST RESULTS

Liquid Density at 25° C.: 1.325  $\pm$  0.010

Boiling Point: 40 to 90 °C (\_\_\_\_°F)

Moisture Content: \_\_\_\_\_ ppm

Acid Acceptance (Dow): \_\_\_\_\_ %

Amount Of Inhibitors: \_\_\_\_\_

Aluminum Scratch: \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation: \_\_\_\_\_ Flash Point: No flash to boiling point 120°F

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| COMPOSITION: Methylene Chloride (w/Freon) | 10-15% |
| 1-1-1 trichloroethane                     | 50-60% |
| Trichloroethylene                         | 10-15% |
| Perchloroethylene and Toluol              | 4-8%   |
| Inhibitors                                | 6%     |

TLV Combined approx. 270 ppm

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_



# WASTE RESEARCH and RECLAMATION CO., INC.

CHEMICAL INNOVATION FOR INDUSTRY

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## CC #5050

CC #5050, Degreaser and general purpose is a special blend of chlorinated solvents with minor amounts of inhibitors and additives. It has fast acting and fast drying properties. This blend of solvents possess excellent solvent and penetrating properties, combines with low vapor toxicity and non-flammability. It is an ideal solvent for removing grease, oil, wax and various kinds of paint.

The spent material can be recycled to its virgin specifications at WR&R. Considerable savings can be effected in two ways: Solving the problems of disposal with additional economic savings on the returned solvent blend.

### Typical Properties:

|                    |                                       |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Appearance         | water white, clear                    |
| Specific Gravity   | 1.320 $\pm$ 0.010; approx. 11.00/gal. |
| Flash & Fire Point | none at boiling point                 |
| Flammability       | non-flammable                         |
| Toxicity, TLV      | 270 ppm MAC 300 ppm                   |
| Boiling Point      | 50 C (initial)                        |
| Moisture Content   | 300 ppm max.                          |

### Direction for Use:

CC #5050 dissolves most of the greases, oils and waxes. It is safe to be used for clean up in all of the machining processes. This blend solvent also has excellent penetrating power for various kinds of paints and can be used to remove paints. This blend solvent has been specially inhibited for cleaning parts made of aluminum or zinc or their alloys.

### Safety Data:

CC #5050 is non-flammable, however, care should be exercised in avoiding direct contact with an open flame or extremely hot objects. Adequate ventilation should be provided in order to exhaust any vapor from solvent evaporation. Operators should be equipped with rubber gloves, aprons and other protective equipment in accordance with the safety practices.

### Packaging:

Fifty-five gallon steel drums, bulk.



# Notice to Workers of Potential Risk Nitrosamines in Metalworking Fluids

*11-5-84  
we do not  
have these*

## Summary

If you do machining, grinding, or other work that involves metalworking fluids, you may be exposed to nitrosamines. Most of these chemicals cause cancer in laboratory animals. They are suspected of causing cancer in humans. This Advisory suggests ways to reduce your exposure to nitrosamines.

## Basis For Concern

Metalworking fluids may contain a variety corrosion inhibitors. These include chemicals called amines and chemicals called nitrites (such as sodium or potassium nitrite). When both amines and nitrites are combined in the same fluid, they may form nitrosamines.

## Exposure To Nitrosamines

Everyone is exposed to some nitrosamines, from a variety of sources in every-day life. However, machinists who use metalworking fluids containing both amines and nitrites may be exposed to as much as 100 times more nitrosamines daily than the average person gets from all other sources.

## Precautions

Machinists should avoid skin contact with metalworking fluids containing nitrites and amines. You should also avoid breathing mists of such fluids.

You may be able to find out whether there are amines and/or nitrites in metalworking fluids you work with by checking the container labels, or product literature your employer receives from the manufacturer or supplier.

Sometimes chemicals are added to metalworking fluids to extend their useful life. You should not add nitrites for this purpose if amines are present.

## Control Measures

Use of metalworking fluids containing both amines and nitrites should be avoided. If use is absolutely unavoidable, shields and face guards should be installed to reduce human contact with mists or splashed fluid. Shops should have effective forced ventilation to minimize the inhalation of mists. Clothing permeated with metalworking fluids should be laundered as often as possible. Impervious aprons should be worn to reduce dermal contact. Rubber gloves may provide limited protection, but they should be replaced often since experimental data indicate that nitrosamines penetrate many kinds of glove material.



Notification Requirements    There are various Federal notification requirements for nitrosamine releases. Such releases could potentially adversely affect exposed individuals or adversely affect the environment. If you are aware of releases into the environment that may need to be reported, please contact the National Response Center (NRC) [call toll-free at 800-424-8802, or in the Washington, DC metropolitan area at 202-426-2675].

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

Call Toll Free: 800-424-9065; in Washington, DC: 554-1404; outside USA: (Operator) 202-554-1404; Ed Klein, Director, TSCA Assistance Office, Office of Toxic Substances, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street, SW., Washington, DC 20460.

Information can also be obtained from the "Current Intelligence Bulletin: Nitrosamines in Cutting Fluids" issued October 6, 1976, by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health.

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# Notice to Formulators of Metalworking Fluids

## Potential Risk from Nitrosamines

### Summary

Manufacturers and users of metalworking fluids should not add nitrites to formulations containing amines because of the potential for nitrosamine formation. Many nitrosamines are potent carcinogens in animals and are suspected of causing cancer in humans.

### Basis For Concern

Adding nitrites to metalworking fluids containing diethanolamine and triethanolamine results in the formation of N-nitrosodiethanolamine (NDELA), one of the nitrosamines of greatest concern. Significant levels of NDELA have been detected in such metalworking fluid concentrates.

Although other nitrosamines may be formed in metalworking fluids from amines other than diethanolamine and triethanolamine, there is particular concern about NDELA because:

- o NDELA has induced cancer in rats and hamsters at several body sites.
- o NDELA has induced cancer in rats at the lowest dose tested -- 1.5 milligrams per kilogram per day.
- o NDELA is absorbed through human skin.
- o Practices at machine shops may expose metal workers to high levels of NDELA.

### Exposure To Nitrosamines

Everyone is exposed to low levels of nitrosamines through a variety of sources. However, exposure of machinists to NDELA from metalworking fluids may be as much as 100 times greater than the total exposure to the average person from all sources of nitrosamines combined. Further, other nitrosamines in addition to NDELA may be formed in metalworking fluids, and may pose additional risk.

### Do Not Add Nitrites If Amines Are Present

- MANUFACTURERS should formulate metalworking fluids so as to minimize the potential for nitrosamine formation -- nitrites should not be added if amines are present. Although the major concern is from NDELA, which is formed by nitrosation of diethanolamine or triethanolamine, it would not be prudent to add nitrites if any amines are present because of the potential to form other nitrosamines.
- USERS should not add nitrites to metalworking fluids unless they are certain that amines are not present

Install A Warning Label - Metalworking fluids containing both nitrites and amines should be labelled to warn machinists and other users of potential nitrosamine contamination. The label should advise users to avoid skin contact with these metalworking fluids. Workers should also avoid breathing mists of such fluids. The label should specifically indicate that nitrosamines may cause cancer in humans.

- Metalworking fluids containing amines, but not nitrites, should be labelled so that workers are warned against adding nitrites to minimize nitrosamine formation.

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## **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET COPY REQUEST**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

EMPLOYEE REPRESENTATIVE: \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

(If employee representative, please provide the name(s) of employee(s) represented.)

WORK AREA: \_\_\_\_\_

JOB FUNCTION: \_\_\_\_\_

THE SUBSTANCE TO WHICH I AM ROUTINELY EXPOSED, AND FOR WHICH I AM REQUESTING A COPY OF A MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET IS . . .

(Employee must use a separate request form for each Material Safety Data Sheet requested.)

MY REASON FOR REQUESTING THIS INFORMATION IS . . .

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(employee signature)

\* \* \* \* \*

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I have received a copy of the MSDS for which I requested.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(CHEMICAL NAME)

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(employee signature)

☐

A copy of the MSDS for \_\_\_\_\_ which you have requested, is not available. We are making every effort to obtain a copy from our supplier.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Compliance Manager)

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(employee signature)

## **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET EMPLOYEE REQUEST FOLLOW UP DISPOSITION**

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

SUBJECT DISPOSITION OF MSDS ON \_\_\_\_\_  
(chemical name)

FROM: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Compliance Manager)

TO: \_\_\_\_\_  
(employee name)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(department)

We have not been able to secure from our supplier a copy of the Material Safety Data Sheet on \_\_\_\_\_ which you have requested. We have now filed a complaint with the authorities requesting their assistance in obtaining the MSDS requested.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Compliance Manager) DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

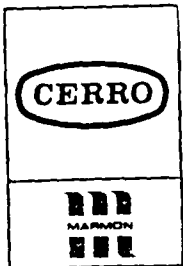
I have not received a copy of the MSDS on \_\_\_\_\_ which I requested, but I understand that my employer has made a good faith effort to obtain this document. My employer has provided a copy of the letters

to our supplier and the \_\_\_\_\_  
(regulatory agency)

showing that a request was made for this information, and that subsequently a complaint has been filed seeking assistance in obtaining this Material Safety Data Sheet for me.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(employee signature) DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

This form should be completed in duplicate. One copy for the employee, the second signed copy for file.



CERRO COPPER PRODUCTS CO.

A member of The Marmon Group of companies

P.O. Box 681

East St. Louis, Illinois 62202

618/337-6000

October 12, 1984

Conoco  
11605 Studt, Suite 118  
St. Louis, Missouri 63141

Re: Material Safety Data Sheets

Gentlemen:

We buy the following material from you:

|                               |               |
|-------------------------------|---------------|
| Conoco Super Hydraulic Oil 68 | M.S.D.S. # 20 |
| Conoco Ice Machine Oil 68     | # 21          |
| Conoco Redind Oil 150         | # 22          |

We need to have immediately the Material Safety Data Sheets.  
There must be a complete listing of all ingredients.

Please rush this information to us. Thanks for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

CERRO COPPER PRODUCTS CO.

A member of The Marmon Group of companies

*F. Baker Ottofy III*

F. Baker Ottofy III  
Director of Safety

FB0/jp1

bcc: D. Durham  
C. Green



Mary Ann Chance  
Coordinator  
Hazard Communication Program

Conoco Inc.  
P.O. Box 1267  
Ponca City, OK 74603  
(405) 767-2140

October 19, 1984

Cerro Copper Product Company  
Post Office Box 681  
East St. Louis, Illinois 62202

Attention: Mr. F. Baker Ottofy III

Dear Mr. Ottofy:

Attached as per request of Bill Spieler are Material Safety Data Sheets for the following Conoco Products:

Redind Oil 32, 46, 68, 100, Conoco  
Ice Machine Oils 46, 68, Conoco  
Super Hydraulic Oil 22, 32, 46, 68, Conoco

If we may be of further assistance, please contact Mr. Spieler or myself.

*Mary Ann Chance / nle*

Mary Ann Chance  
Coordinator  
Hazard Communication Program

nle  
Enc. (3)

cc: Bill Spieler, St. Louis, Missouri

10-22-84  
She will send updated MSDS  
w/ info if or if not  
Nitrosamines are in them or not

**PTS PRODUCTION TOOL AND SUPPLY CO.**  
620 SHENANDOAH AVENUE • ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI 63104 • TELEPHONE (314) 773 3030

October 17, 1984

Cerro Copper Products Co.  
P.O. Box 681  
E. St. Louis, IL. 62202

Attn: Mr. F. Baker Ottofy, III  
Director of Safety

Gentlemen:

In reply to your letter request of 12 October 1984; we are enclosing herewith in duplicate, Material Safety Data Sheets covering "Tap Magic Cutting Fluids" in both the "Regualr Tap Magic" and the "Tap Magic for Aluminum".

These are the Standard Material Safety Data Sheets which have been furnished to McDonnell Douglas Corporation, General Motors Corporation, Ford Motor Company and others; and which are acceptable by these companies as well as by various Government Agencies, as the ingredients used in the manufacture of these products is proprietary.

We trust this will be satisfactory and if we may be of any further service to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,

PRODUCTION TOOL & SUPPLY CO.



Mark G. Flick

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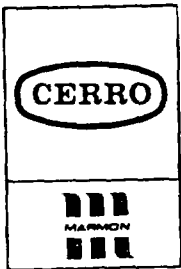
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P.O. Box 681

East St. Louis, Illinois 62202

618/337-6000

October 12, 1984

Production Tool & Supply  
620 Shenodoah Ave.  
St. Louis, Missouri 63104

Re: Material Safety Data Sheet

Gentlemen:

We buy the following material from you:

"Tap Magic" (cutting fluid) MSDS # 67968

We need to have immediately the Material Safety Data Sheet.  
There must be a complete listing of all ingredients.

Please rush this information to us. Thanks for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

CERRO COPPER PRODUCTS CO.

A member of The Marmon Group of companies

*F. Baker Ottofy III*

F. Baker Ottofy III  
Director of Safety

FBO/jpl

bcc: D. Durham  
C. Green

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
Occupational Safety and Health Administration**

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Required under USDL Safety and Health Regulations for Ship Repairing,  
Shipbuilding, and Shipbreaking (29 CFR 1915, 1916, 1917)

## SECTION I

|  |   |   |
|--|---|---|
| MANUFACTURER'S NAME<br>CONOCO INC.   |   | EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NO.<br>(405) 767-3456             |
| ADDRESS (Number, Street, City, State, and ZIP Code)<br>1000 South Pine, Ponca City, OK 74603 |   |   |
| CHEMICAL NAME AND SYNONYMS<br>Petroleum Hydraulic Oil  |   | TRADE NAME AND SYNONYMS<br>CONOCO SUPER HYDRAULIC OIL |
| CHEMICAL FAMILY<br>Petroleum Hydrocarbon   | FORMULA Grades 22, 32, 46, 68<br>Various Hydrocarbons |   |

## SECTION II—HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

|  |
|--|
| NONE   |
| Under all current laws, rules, and regulations, this material is considered non-toxic and non-hazardous. |
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## SECTION III—PHYSICAL DATA

|                         |         |                                      |   |         |
|-------------------------|---------|--------------------------------------|---|---------|
| BOILING POINT (°F)      | Initial | 600                                  | SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H <sub>2</sub> O = 1) | .85-.87 |
| VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg)  |         | Nil                                  | PERCENT. VOLATILE BY VOLUME (%)         | Nil     |
| VAPOR DENSITY (AIR = 1) |         | NA                                   | EVAPORATION RATE (____ = 1)             | Nil     |
| SOLUBILITY IN WATER     |         | Negligible                           |   |         |
| APPEARANCE AND ODOR     |         | Clear amber viscous liquid--no odor. |   |         |

## SECTION IV—FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

|  |                       |                  |     |     |
|--|-----------------------|------------------|-----|-----|
| FLASH POINT (Method Used)  | 380°F. - 400°F. (COC) | FLAMMABLE LIMITS | Let | Uel |
| EXTINGUISHING MEDIA<br>Foam, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, water spray.  |                       |                  |     |     |
| SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES<br>Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including self-contained breathing apparatus. |                       |                  |     |     |
| UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS<br>None.  |                       |                  |     |     |
|  |                       |                  |     |     |

### SECTION V—HEALTH HAZARD DATA

**THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE**

None established.

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE** Not considered to be toxic orally or dermally; may cause eye irritation. May cause skin irritation on prolonged or repeated contact.

Excessive inhalation of mists and vapors may cause pulmonary disorders.

**EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES** In case of eye contact, wash thoroughly with fresh water for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention. Skin contact--wash thoroughly with soap and water. Remove grossly contaminated clothing and wash before re-use. Grossly contaminated leather shoes should be discarded. If large amounts of material is swallowed, induce vomiting and call a physician.

### SECTION VI—REACTIVITY DATA

**STABILITY**

UNSTABLE

CONDITIONS TO AVOID

STABLE

X

**INCOMPATIBILITY (Materials to avoid)**

Strong oxidizing materials, heat, flame.

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS** Normal combustion forms carbon dioxide and water vapor; incomplete combustion may produce carbon monoxide.

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION**

MAY OCCUR

CONDITIONS TO AVOID

WILL NOT OCCUR

X

### SECTION VII—SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

**STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED**

Clean up promptly by absorption in clay or earth.

**WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD**

Controlled incineration, store for professional removal and disposal. Avoid drainage into sewer unless it is specifically designed to handle hydrocarbons.

### SECTION VIII—SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION (Specify type)**

None required.

**VENTILATION**

LOCAL EXHAUST

SPECIAL

MECHANICAL (General)

Normal shop ventilation.

OTHER

**PROTECTIVE GLOVES**

None required.

**EYE PROTECTION**

None required.

**OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**

None required.

### SECTION IX—SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

**PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORING**

May be stored outdoors or indoors away from furnace or other heating equipment.

**OTHER PRECAUTIONS**

In accordance with NFPA Code 30-1969 for Combustible Liquid, Class IIIB.



Mary Ann Chance  
Coordinator  
Hazard Communication Program

Conoco Inc.  
P.O. Box 1267  
Ponca City, OK 74603  
(405) 767-2140

October 23, 1984

Cerro Copper Product Company  
Post Office Box 681  
East St. Louis, Illinois 62202

Attention: Mr. F. Baker Ottofy III

Dear Mr. Ottofy:

As per your request, this letter will serve to certify that, based on the formulation constituents, Conoco's Senior Toxicologist, W. D. Broddle, Ph.D., would not expect to find nitrosamines in the following three Conoco products for which we have furnished you Material Safety Data Sheets:

Redind Oil 32, 46, 68, 100, Conoco  
Ice Machine Oils 46, 68, Conoco  
Super Hydraulic Oil 22, 32, 46, 68, Conoco

If you have further questions, please do not hesitate to call.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Mary Ann Chance".

Mary Ann Chance  
Coordinator  
Hazard Communication Program

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cc: W. D. Broddle, Ph.D.